

"Early History of St. Paul's United Church" Subject of Paper at W.A.

Mrs. Harold Elliott Gives A Paper on "Well Known Hymns of Our Church"

The regular meeting of St. Paul's Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. Oliver Stapley on Tuesday afternoon, October 5th, with a splendid attendance. The opening exercises and business portion of the meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Walter Elliott. The meeting opened with the singing of the theme song and prayer by the president.

Following the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, and all communications received during September, the secretary reported eighteen letters sent during the past month. The September visiting committee, reported fifteen calls. Mrs. Claude Tucker and Mrs. George E. White will act as the visiting committee for October. A very complete financial report was presented by Mrs. Percy Utman in the absence of the treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Thompson. Mrs. C. Pitman, convener of the Friendly Workers' Group gave a very interesting report of their work during the past month and this Group gave another donation of fifty dollars to the W.A.

Mrs. A. Armstrong reported for the Blue Cross plan for hospital care, and the committee's extra work in canvassing the W.A. active members during September. The W.A. appointed Mrs. A. Armstrong, "Group Leader." It is expected a group will be formed, as sufficient members have signified their wish to enroll.

During the business portion of the meeting, Mrs. C. Macklin and Mrs. H. David were appointed the nominating committee to bring in the new slate of officers for 1949 at the December meeting. Plans were made for the bazaar, afternoon tea, sale of fancy aprons, knitted goods, needlework, home cooking and farm produce to be held on November 25th. The W.A. will cater for the Masonic Banquet on October 21st and business connected with the same was discussed.

The programme of the day was capably directed by Mrs. E. G. Bailey, convener of the program committee. After the singing of hymn 164, Mrs. H. Donnan read the Scripture lesson, the Twenty-Third Psalm with the pianist, Mrs. Harold West, accompanying with quiet music. The hymn 168 was read responsively as a prayer.

An interesting article, "The Early History of St. Paul's United Church," formerly the Methodist Episcopal Church, was given by Mrs. E. G. Bailey. There were two Methodist Churches in Stirling, the Methodist Episcopal and the Wesleyan Methodist. The M.E. was built in 1853 where the parsonage now stands and the other at the corner of Church St. and Campbellford Road.

In 1880 the Rev. R. W. Marsh was pastor of the M.E. Church and at a meeting of that congregation on Jan. 20th, 1880, it was decided unanimously to undertake the building of a new M.E. Church. To inaugurate the enterprise, arrangements were made for a Circuit Finance meeting and the proceeds from the dinner amounted to \$152.00, while subscriptions were received in the evening to the amount of \$2957.00. However, the difficulty arose in the selection of a site and nothing more was done till February 23rd, 1881. The site had been procured from Mr. L. G. Baker, which was two lots on the north side of Church St. and west side of Station St., for \$400.00 and the payment had been made in full for it. The building committee was re-organized with the following membership, Rev. R. W. Marsh, Isaac Denike, John Green, Thos. Scott, Sylvanus Hubble, Geo. I. Hubble, Hiram Conley, David Martin, Wm. Girdwood, James McKee, Urial Wright, David Tucker, Luther Tucker, Lyman Wheeler, Bidwell Sline and Sylvester Sills. The tenders for the building of the church were higher than could be accepted and a postponement of plans was necessary. Tenders were again invited and on March 23rd, the contract was awarded to Richard Longman, the lowest bidder, for \$6100. The plan of the church was similar to Brighton Church.

Construction started in the spring, but before the year ended, the contractor became dissatisfied and was released from his contract, after which the committee completed the work with a foreman, Arthur Elliott, in charge. Mr. Marsh had the satisfaction of knowing that the work was almost completed when in early June, 1882, he was transferred to another charge and Rev. F. B. Stratton was in charge of arrangements for dedication services in July 6, 1882, and completion of the church was effected that year. A mammoth Tea Meeting was held on Christmas night for the support of the Building Fund (and all canvassing for it was done by the men). The first anniversary of this church was observed on Sunday, July 8th, 1883, followed by a dinner at 11 o'clock the next day.

A Word To Our Subscribers

Even the address label on your copy of the News-Argus is well worth reading. Our mailing list has been revised up to October 6th. If you are in arrears the label will tell you and your remittance will be appreciated. If you are not, we thank you for your loyal support. You are doing your part in helping us to give our subscribers good service.

Apple Blossoms In October

Apple blossoms in October are a bit unusual but Mr. C. M. Sine, Stirling, RR. No. 1, brought a cluster of blossoms, which he had picked off a snow apple tree in his garden, to the News-Argus Office on Friday last. Later the same day, Mr. Ernest Saries, of Minto, brought some in he had picked from a tree on the farm of Arthur Wood, Ivanhoe. Apparently the fine weather we have had is fooling even nature a bit.

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In 1884, the union of the different Methodist denominations was effected and the United Methodism in Stirling elected to worship in the new edifice so recently completed by the M.E. branch of that church.

In 1885, Rev. O. R. Lambly, having succeeded Rev. F. B. Stratton, took in charge the organization of a representative Board of Trustees, the following being duly chosen and appointed: David Martin, Urial Wright, Wm. McKee, Wm. Girdwood, R. R. Clute, David Tucker, Walter S. Martin, Peter Martin, Andrew Glass, Benjamin Bush, Robt. Girdwood, James Kyle, T. G. Clute, Robert Jones, Henry Utman, George Hagerman, Wm. Martin, J. W. Eggleton, John Hough.

For 40 years the Methodist Church continued to fulfill its purpose in our midst, its constituency being somewhat altered early in this period by the founding of the Bethel Church, with resultant loss of membership of many of those who had laboured for the church in Stirling. On June 10th, 1925, after an honourable and fruitful period as a Methodist Church, it passed into the service of a wider fellowship, henceforth to be a place of worship of the United Church of Canada and is now known as St. Paul's United Church. This name was chosen by Mr. Williams a former Public School principal.

The church was renovated during the pastorate of the late Rev. A. J. Terrill who served the Stirling charge from 1913-1917.

Mrs. W. Yateman, in an interesting manner explained the significance of the United Church of Canada seal, the oval form, which is in accord with ancient ecclesiastical usage. Three of the four emblems represent the three historic Communions which form the church and are so placed in relation to one another as to have religious meaning.

Mrs. Harold Elliott, Past President of the Women's Association of Hastings and Prince Edward Counties, was the guest speaker and spoke on the subject, "Well-Known Hymns of Our Church," illustrating a few by playing the variations on the piano. The speaker gave a short sketch of the different authors of the hymns (Continued on Page Eight)

NEWLY-WEDS WERE HONOURED BY THE COMMUNITY

Over one hundred relatives, friends and neighbours gathered at St. John's Parish Hall last night to honour Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tanner, (nee Marjorie Haggerty) who were recently married.

Mrs. Walter Savage welcomed the guests and introduced Rev. A. J. Anderson, who acted as chairman for a short programme, consisting of community singing led by Mrs. Lindsay Tanner, piano solos by Mrs. Harry Morrow, and a reading by Mrs. Ernest Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Tanner were given seats of honour and Miss Marie Ackers read an appropriate address, after which a number of gifts including a complete set of enamel ware, in red and white, bed spread, pair sheets, tea towels and kitchen utensils, which were displayed on a decorated table, were presented to the young couple.

St. John's Women's League and Ladies' Guild also honoured Mr. and Mrs. Tanner with a gift. Mrs. Harry Smith read the address and Mrs. Thos. McConnell made the presentation. Mr. and Mrs. Tanner very graciously thanked the donors for their lovely gifts and Mrs. S. McCrory thanked all those who contributed to the programme.

A dainty lunch and a social hour brought a pleasant evening to a close.

Stirling High School Defeat Madoc 22-0

In the first game of the inter-scholastic Rugby League played on the Fair Grounds here last Friday night, Stirling High School defeated Madoc by a score of 22 to 0. The locals overshadowed the visitors in all departments of the game. The local team was well handled by quarterback Benny Mason and H. Barlow, with two, Ted Dobson and McLachlan accounted for major scores by the locals.

No Restrictions

Because of the fact that maskinonge fishing ended Oct. 1, and bass and bass and pickerel fishing is still open until Oct. 15, fishermen are asking if there are restrictions on angling. Some think casting and trolling from boats is illegal the same as in the spring, but this is not so. There are no restrictions to angling until Oct. 15. A fisherman can troll or cast from a boat using natural or artificial bait, but if a maskinonge is hooked it must be returned unharmed to the water.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Bert Conley, of Peterborough, is a guest of Miss M. Osborne this week. Mrs. Walter Rodgers and Murray spent a few days last week at Hajeany Lodge, Thousand Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McGee, of Wellman's, spent the week end in Hamilton and Niagara Falls.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Pedley, of Ottawa, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Robinson, of Fort William, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow this week.

Mrs. H. Skillcorn and family left today (Thursday) for Stockport, England, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bell and Miss Rilla Rodgers were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rodgers and family.

Mrs. Wm. Waller and Mrs. C. Hogle, of Trenton and Mrs. O'Leary, of Buffalo, spent Tuesday renewing acquaintances in Stirling.

Mrs. H. Morton, Mrs. W. H. Cooke

FORMER ST. JOHN'S RECTOR INDUCTED AT TORONTO

In the church where he served as a student-assistant 17 years ago, Rev. C. C. Brazill, newly appointed rector of St. Edmund's Anglican Church, was inducted last night.

Mr. Brazill is a native of Garnish, Newfoundland. He was educated at Bishopsfield College, St. John's Newfoundland and Trinity College, Toronto. He was ordained in 1931 by Bishop Lyons of Ontario diocese at Kingston and was Bishop Lyons' first ordinand.

He is the third rector of St. Edmunds and succeeds, Rev. R. S. Tippet, who has retired because of ill-health after 14 years. He served with success as rector at the Mission of Bannockburn, in the U.E. Loyallist parish of Adolphustown for seven years and was for five years in the parish of Stirling which includes St. John's Church, Stirling, and Trinity Church, Frankford, both in Ontario diocese.

During his ministry a new heating system was installed in the Frankford church and electric organ and other furnishings at Stirling. When the Anglican Advance Appeal was launched, the diocese of Ontario offered a prize for the first congregation to exceed its allotment. His congregation won the prize. Its allotment was \$2,200 and the subscriptions \$3,900.

He also served on various diocesan boards including the Council for Social Service, the Board of Religious Education and the missionary committee.

High School Students' Council

On Tuesday, September 28th, the student body of the High School met to nominate the candidates for this year's "Students' Council". On the following Thursday, the nominees made their speeches, and the following officers were elected: Honourary President, Mr. R. E. Fox; President, Ross Hermiston; Vice-President, Lorraine Graver; Secretary, Gladys Clarke; Treasurer, Benny Mason; Press Reporter, Marilyn Eggleton; Pianist, Betty McConnell; Literary Convener, Eva Anne Bastedo; Girls' Athletic Representative, Joan Green; Boys' Athletic Representative, Richard McLachlan; Grade IX Representative, Evelyn Lancaster; Grade X Representative, Mary Byrnes; Grade XI Representative, Ross Bradshaw; Grade XII Representative, Douglas Luery; Grade XIII Representative, Barbara Faulkner.

Awarded Contract

Mr. S. R. McCrory, local contractor, has been awarded the contract of the new boiler room and tunnel at the Belleville General Hospital, Belleville.

Attend District Service

Messrs. Clarence West, John L. Good, Thos. W. Solmes and Walter Warren attended the annual District Divine Service for Prince Edward District, No. 11, Royal Arch Masons, in Napanee on Sunday evening.

Thanksgiving At Post Office

There will be no rural mail delivery on Monday next, Thanksgiving Day, according to an announcement by postmaster F. Houchin today. The public wicket at the post office will be open from 8 to 9 a.m. only, but the lobby will be open for the convenience of box holders as usual.

Population Up

According to the records compiled by W. L. Anderson, assessor, when making his rounds on his assessment duties, Stirling's population is now 1115. This is an increase over a year ago and the addition of several new families in the Wartime Housing site since the assessment was made will account for another jump in population.

The dog population was shown as 95.

Partridge Season

Dr. W. J. K. Harkness, director of the fish and wild life division of the Ontario Lands and Forests Department, today appealed to partridge and grouse hunters to "strictly observe" the season dates. The season is Oct. 9 to 18, both dates inclusive. A misprint in the original publication by the department gave Oct. 19 as the closing day.

The bag limit for that period is five birds a day and 20 for the season.

Fraternal Visit

First Principal J. L. Good, of Keystone Chapter, No. 72, R.A.M., along with V. Ex. Companion Gordon Bailey and Companion Ivan Caldwell, paid a fraternal visit to Moira Chapter, Belleville, on Tuesday evening. The occasion was the official visit of the Grand Superintendent, Rt. Ex. Companion A. E. Holmes, of Napanee.

Honour

Newly-Weds

On Friday evening last some seventy-five friends and neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. Lloyd Dafeo, Baker St., to honour Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dafeo (nee Eileen Bradshaw), who were recently married.

Rev. W. H. V. Walker was chairman for the occasion. Everyone joined in singing "The Maple Leaf Forever", and "My Bonnie", with Mrs. Clarke Rodgers at the piano. Readings were given by Miss Florence Maynes and Mrs. S. McIntosh and a duet by Mrs. Roy Eggleton and Mrs. Don Rodgers. Frank Harding sang a couple of numbers with his own guitar accompaniment.

The address was read by Mr. Douglas Ackers and Mr. J. J. Ackers and Mrs. Melville Tanner presented the newly-weds with a white chenille bedspread and a pair of flannelled blankets. The groom replied, thanking everyone for the gifts.

Short speeches were given by Messrs. Harper Rollins, Don Rodgers and Harvey Pitcher. Refreshments were served by the ladies.

Norwood Fair

On Monday Next

The last Fall Fair of the district this year is Norwood, which will be held on Monday, next, Thanksgiving Day. This is known as one of the better fairs of the province and should the weatherman be favourable there will be a large crowd on hand for an excellent programme.

Regular Session Village Council

Matters of Minor Importance Discussed—New Piece of Sidewalk To Be Built

Stirling Village Council met in regular session on Monday evening with Reeve H. J. Wells in the chair and Councillors E. G. Bailey, A. Brooks, Guy Bradshaw and W. T. Elliott in attendance.

Communications were tabled from the Department of Municipal Affairs in answer to an inquiry relative to placing the administration of the waterworks system under a public utilities commission, pointing out that the matter would have to be voted on by the ratepayers; from the Ontario Division Community Planning Association; from E. Denyes, County Clerk, re lobby governing the cutting of trees in the County; from Hon. Geo. Dunbar, Minister of Municipal Affairs, announcing a number of municipal schools to be held in the various parts of the Province. One will be held at Bancroft on October 20th and 21st.

The following accounts were presented for payment:—W. L. Anderson, Assessor, \$151.50; Morley Phillips, \$21.10; Fred McCutcheon, \$12.00; M. Bell, painting, \$275.00; Sam Bowen, \$113.10; Geen's Taxi, \$36.00; Mueller Ltd. \$3.42; Stirling Lumber Co., \$13.45; Bill's Garage, \$4.75; Carl Potter, postage, \$15.81; H. Faulkner, \$1.50; Roofers' Supply Co., \$24.64; Harry Morrow, \$38.10; H. C. Pitcher & Sons, \$16.05; W. H. Bolte, \$36.50; Stirling News-Argus, \$3.25; McIntosh & Wells, \$10.30; Stirling Hydro, \$224.63; Stirling Waterworks, \$5.86.

The matter of repairs to the sidewalks was discussed at length. It was pointed out that the sum of \$500 had been set aside for this purpose and the consensus of Council was that a piece of walk in the most travelled section of the village should be replaced. The choice of the locale for replacing the walk was left in the hands of the streets committee, the members of which will endeavour to get the work started at once.

After the discussion of several minor items of business the Council adjourned.

St. John's Women's League

The Women's League of St. John's Church held their October meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Morrow, with attendance of twenty-five.

In the absence of the rector, the League President, Mrs. Woodbeck, opened the meeting with the League prayer. The minutes were read and approved and Mrs. Reg. Coombes spoke of the Blue Cross Plan which is open to new members until October 23rd.

It was moved by Mrs. Coombes and seconded by Mrs. Walter Savage that a new sign board be made for the north side of the Church.

The League is finishing its work, begun last Spring, of decorating the chapel and also replacing the used choir gowns and surplices.

It was moved by Mrs. Savage and seconded by Mrs. Morgan that a home cooking sale be held the first Saturday in November.

Mrs. Gravers was convener of the splendid Thanksgiving programme.

The meeting was closed by Mrs. Anderson, and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Whitehead moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Morrow for a most pleasant evening. The November meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Melville Tanner.

A few years ago Canada refused to buy when offered the whole of Labrador for \$30,000,000. This summer mineral resources worth hundreds of millions of dollars are being proved up in that bleak territory.

- Coming Events -

RED CROSS MEETING, STIRLING Community Hall, Friday, October 8th, 1948, at 2:45 p.m. All interested are urged to attend. 51-1

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES SALEM United Church, Sunday, October 10th, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. E. F. Swayne, of Napanee, guest preacher. Special music by the choir. Everybody welcome. 51-1

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7th, 1948

MRS. EVA MCGEE CHOSEN AS PRESIDENT OF TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Mrs. Eva McGee, Stirling, R.R. 2, teacher at Ridge Road School, was elected President of the Centre Hastings teachers at their annual convention held in St. John's United Church, in Tweed, on Friday, October 1st.

Following the opening exercises, which were conducted by Rev. A. L. Sisco, the president, Miss Helen Rush gave a short but thought-provoking address which set the convention's standard for the day.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$61.84.

Committees were appointed as follows:

Nominating — Grace Moran, James Irwin and Mrs. Louise Dolan.

Resolutions — E. C. Prentice, C. A. Wells.

Auditors — Mrs. Florence McCoy, Donald Runnals.

Arithmetic in Grade 5 was the topic of a very helpful paper by Miss Grace Moran, Tweed Consolidated School. Useful devices for teaching and reviewing the number facts were suggested and shown. This thoughtful paper should prove of help to the younger less experienced teachers, as well as to those of experience. Enthusiasm on the part of the teacher is a must if accuracy is to be achieved. Accuracy and Confidence

Grade 6 Arithmetic was discussed by Mrs. Florence McCoy, of Tweed Consolidated School. Accuracy is secured by insisting on it from the beginning. The child should be taught to be satisfied with nothing less than that. This gives the child confidence, she said. These two, accuracy and confidence, are essential to success. A splendid practical paper by an experienced teacher.

"Literature" was the subject treated by Miss Margaret Wright. This is the most important subject on the program of studies and the teacher must have a perfect understanding of the selection and an enthusiastic love of literature. Interpretation and appreciation go together. Literature is more than the meanings of words.

This paper by one of the most experienced rural teachers should prove beneficial to all teachers.

The place of reading and memory work was dealt with.

In the afternoon Miss Lorette Connor, president of the local unit of the Women Teachers Federation, spoke

briefly on the work of the Federation.

Mr. A. W. McGuire welcomed the teachers of Marmora township and Marmora and Deloro villages back into Centre Hastings Teachers' Institute. He spoke of the value of township meetings of teachers which would be continued during the year.

Teachers were urged to get reports in on time, to prepare lessons thoroughly and to be enthusiastic about their work. He advised teachers to purchase \$25 worth of books for each class room. Mr. McGuire said that discipline in the class room was very necessary to success.

Grammar, which has been neglected for some years is coming back and should be given the important place which it deserves.

Purpose of Art

Dr. C. D. Gaitskill, Director of Art for the province of Ontario was the next speaker. The teachers of Centre Hastings had sent in a list of questions for Dr. Gaitskill to answer. He chose a number of these questions and answered them. The new course is not new because ideas along this line have been in the minds of art educators for many years. The old course trained the child's hand to obey his eye, but leaves out the rest of the child. The new course is the education of the whole child, not merely the training of the hand and of the eye. The purpose of art is life and experience, the making of artists. All topics in the art course must be based on the life and experience of the child. He must be allowed to choose his own subject with broad suggestions from the teacher.

Materials need not be expensive — even junk, cardboard boxes, string, tinsel paper, newsprint and any other material of similar nature may be used, as well as more expensive paper and other materials. Collections of child's art should be placed on the walls of the halls and class rooms.

The child must be able to see what he has contributed to the life of the school.

Primary Work

"Black Board Work and Charts," Miss Katherine McQuarrie, of Tweed Consolidated School. Miss McQuarrie a most successful teacher of primary work, gave the younger teachers some excellent ideas and devices with charts

which she employs in her own class room. Miss McQuarrie had taken a summer course in primary methods and brought back many new ideas which she gave to the teachers.

Pre-Primers and Supplementary Reading: Mrs. Margaret Derry, S.S. 10 Huntingdon.

Mrs. Derry recommended the use of the three pre-primers, "We Look and See," "We Come and Go," and "We Work and Play." Devices and cards were shown. Names of supplementary books were given. Some discussion was provided by experienced teachers.

Mrs. Eva McGee gave an interesting and useful paper on an essential aspect of primary work in phonics.

The following officers were elected for 1948-1949:

Officers
Honorary President — Inspector A. W. McGuire
President — Mrs. Eva McGee, Stirling.

Sec.-Treas.—S. H. Connor, Tweed.

Executive — Miss Lorette Connor, Madoc; E. C. Prentice, Marmora; and Miss Margaret Wright, Ivanhoe.

Mr. S. H. Connor was chosen secretary for the thirty-third successive year, having first been appointed in 1916.

It was moved by C. A. Wells, seconded by E. C. Prentice that the following resolutions be adopted: (1) That a vote of thanks and appreciation be sent to the pastor, Rev. A. L. Sisco, and the official board of St. John's Church, Tweed, for their kind permission for the use of the church by the teachers of Centre Hastings for their convention; (2) That the caretaker of this church be paid a fee of four dollars for extra work in connection with the convention; (3) That the secretary's salary be \$15.00 for the coming year; (4) That a vote of thanks be extended to the ladies of St. John's United Church for the lovely dinner which they had provided; (5) That the Basic Grammar be made available to the pupils for their own use, at a set price; (6) That the arrangements for the holding of the next convention be left in the hands of the executive; (7) That a hearty vote of thanks be extended to Mr. McGuire, the executive and to all those who have contributed in making the convention a success.

Mount Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. John Mulheron and Margaret were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barron, of Bethel.

Mrs. Lindsay McKeown, of Mount Pleasant, Mrs. Walter Rodgers and Murney, of Stirling, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Runnals, of Harold, spent a couple of days at the Thousand Islands and Ivy Lea. They were overnight guests at Hugenby Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Wrightman spent Thursday in Trenton and Mrs. Wrightman visited her mother, Mrs. A. Farrar.

Mrs. Bailey Turner, of Belleville, is spending a couple of weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Allen Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith accompanied Reeve and Mrs. John Morrison to Pictou Fair on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart and Tommy, of Bethel, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Mulheron.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Green, of New York, U.S.A., who were holidaying at

Salmon Lake and Mr. B. C. Tucker, of Bethel, visited Mrs. Allen Bailey on Tuesday.

Eleven ladies from Mount Pleasant attended Springbrook W.A. Bazaar and afternoon tea on Thursday afternoon. All enjoyed the appetizing refreshments, programme and lovely scenery along the way and the ladies brought home several articles for Christmas gifts. Those in attendance were Mrs. John Holmes, Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. John Mulheron, Mrs. Lindsay McKeown, Mrs. Kenneth Weaver, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Mrs. Bert Jeffs, Mrs. George Weaver, Mrs. Ross Jeffs and Mrs. Ralph Jeffs. Mrs. B. Jeffs sang "In the Garden," with Mrs. Ken Weaver as accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and Mr. and Mrs. Elam Wescott were supper guests one evening last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Don Spencer, Murray, attended the morning service at Mount Pleasant and spent the day with the Spencer families.

Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Leslie, of Campbellford, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies.

Mrs. Albert Dunkley and Mr. Earl Dunkley attended the funeral of Mr. Robert Maybee at Campbellford on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Easton and Miss Ferne Easton, of Belleville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jeffs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard, James and Robert, attended Phillipston anniversary and were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketcheson.

Mrs. Gilbert Smith spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith.

On Sunday morning, Rev. H. C. Vachlavik delivered a special missionary message at Mount Pleasant eulogizing the work of the Woman's Missionary Society. Miss Ruth Sharp of the Mission Band sang, "Sweeter As The Years Go By" and Mrs. Bert Jeffs read the Bible lesson. Over seventy dollars was placed on the plates—W.M.S., \$58.00, Mission Band, \$8.50 and Baby Band, \$3.71. Beautiful potted plants and autumn blooms graced the altar.

Mr. Grant Hubble is recuperating at his home, having arrived home Saturday from Belleville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holmes, Joan and Beverley, of Madoc, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hubble and Patsy, of Stockdale, attended the Morning Service at Mount Pleasant and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Elman Wescott, of Oshawa visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard last week.

A donation of money has been received from Mr. Russell Wescott, of Shannonsville, to be used for the upkeep of the South Cemetery at Mount Pleasant.

Mr. Cecil Nelson, of Campbellford, had the misfortune to injure his eye last week.

The public school teachers attended a convention at Tweed on Friday.

Miss Marian Johnson, of Belleville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey, Carmel, entertained on Wednesday Mr. and

Mrs. Elam Wescott, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Spencer and Mrs. Hector Whitton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mulheron and Margaret attended a surprise party in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Clements and Roy before their departure to their new home in Rossmore. Mr. Mulheron assisted with the programme.

Little Freddie McAdam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAdam, had the misfortune to fall and fracture his collar bone.

On October 19th, the Sectional Rally of the W.M.S. will be held at Plainfield and Miss Mamie Gollan of the Church of All Nations, Toronto, will be the special speaker. She plans to spend the week end at Rawdon parsonage with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Vachlavik.

The September meeting of the Sunbeam Mission Band, Mount Pleasant, was held at the church with the vice president, Miss Ruth Sharp in charge. The service opened with quiet music and the theme song played by Miss Shirley McKeown. The Scripture was read responsively and after the business, Miss Eleanor Smith gathered the offering. Miss Ruth Linn gave the chapter of the study book.

If the weather is at all favourable, the pastor is planning to have a special service in the church cemetery next Sunday in honour of the pioneers.

Mr. Gordon Reid arrived home Saturday from his Western trip.

Two-By-Two Club

The Two-by-Two Club held their meeting at the church hall with about forty-five in attendance. Mrs. Herb Smith presided and a prayer hymn was read in unison. Mrs. Kenneth Weaver gave a Devotional reading. Mrs. John Mulheron contributed a piano solo. Rev. H. C. Vachlavik conducted a questionnaire discussion. Mrs. Malcolm Sharp played for community singing. Mr. Lindsay McKeown read a selection. Mrs. Orna Sharp conducted a contest. Refreshments were served and the evening closed with the social circle.

Mrs. Albert Dunkley, of Mount Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. George Wickens and Keith, of Glen Miller, Mrs. A. Lawrence, Oshawa, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Martin and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Martin, of Toronto, spent several days last week at Rochester and attended the wedding of the former's granddaughter, Miss Audrey Mae Shelters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shelters (nee Myrtle Dunkley) and Frederick Charles Seward. The wedding was held in the Congregational Church on Saturday, September 25th. The bride's cousin, Miss Phyllis Seward, was bridesmaid.

Fire Prevention Week

Too many people seem to think that fire is something that happens to other folks, never to themselves, which is a very good reason we have so many fires.

Nearly every minute of the day and night two fires break out in this country. That adds up to a tremendous total of 2,285 fires a day — 831,956 in a year.

Fire safety is pretty much of a frame of mind, that is the way you look at things. Knowing about the causes of fires, and paying constant attention to

the prevention of them, is fair insurance that you will not have one. The lessons are very obvious. Don't take chances with fire no matter how small. Call your fire department in case of fire without unnecessary delay. Keep doors closed to room when retiring to prevent rising heat and toxic gases overcoming you before a fire really happens. Have some way of getting out of your room other than the main doorway in case of fire.

Smoking in bed is one of the main causes of fires in the home: 29.26 per cent of all home fires are due to this cause. Misuse of electricity is a close second, 10.38 per cent; defective chimneys, flues, etc., 6.94 per cent; hot ashes and coals from open fires, 4.03 per cent; ignition from hot grease, 3.06 per cent. These are the most important causes though there are many more. Remember, it is the simple things that more often than not cause fires and refrain from contributing any part in the spread of this dread scourge by taking every precaution within your power. Don't stack rubbish or trash too close to a heating unit. Don't dump hot ashes into wooden containers. Keep cellar and furnace room clean of all waste. These are but a few of the simple rules which, if observed, will serve to prevent fires . . . do your bit . . . make certain that through no carelessness of yours will disaster come to your home.

FACTS OF INTEREST

The flax crop of Western Canada is estimated to be 68% greater than in 1947 and is worth about \$70 million, about \$40 million of this is in Manitoba.

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

CULL FLOCK AND RETAIN BEST EWES

With the approach of Fall it becomes necessary to select the ewes to be retained in the breeding flock. A ewe that does not produce a satisfactory lamb in the ensuing spring, is a charge against the rest of the flock. For that reason the flock should be made up of individuals in which the possibility of this occurring is kept at a minimum. In addition, ewes that are culled in the fall can be marketed at a fair price and many of these ewes because of age or infirmity would not be able to stand the strain of pregnancy and their death would therefore represent a direct monetary loss as well as the loss of a winter's feed.

In culling the flock each fall two main factors must be taken into consideration, says S. B. Williams, Animal Husbandry Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Will the individual satisfactorily raise a lamb or lambs; is she of such a type to maintain or improve the standard of the flock? Ewes to be retained in the flock must be healthy and have a full mouth. Broken mouthed ewes will not do well when on dry winter feed. The udder should also be inspected and ewes showing any unsoundness should be disposed of. Too much attention should not be paid to condition, since often the thinner ewes have raised a pair of lambs some of those carrying ample flesh may not have nursed. Adequate records of each ewe should have been kept and those ewes whose lambs have not done well, because of an insufficient milk supply, should be marked for the block.

When the ewes in these categories have been removed, the flock should be inspected again and all animals not up to standard for conformation, fleece or breed type should be removed.

All ewes culled should have their places taken in the flock by high quality yearling saved from the previous year for flock replacements.

If a program such as has been described is followed annually, a flock of active, hardy, high-producing ewes will be assured.

GRAIN CROP PRODUCTION

The second estimates of production of the principal Canadian grain crops for 1948, issued September 14, by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics are in general higher than the estimate released on August 17. Exceptionally good maturing and harvesting weather prevailed quite generally throughout August and accounts largely for the enhanced production prospects. The wheat estimate has been advanced 19 million bushels over that of mid-August to 391 million bushels.

Oat production is now estimated at 361.7 million bushels, barley at 157.1 million, rye at 26.7 million and flaxseed at 17.7 million bushels.

As this estimate is based on conditions existing on August 31, before completion of harvest, it is more in the nature of a forecast, and may still be subject to significant revisions in later estimates.

DISEASE RETARDS FOOD PRODUCTION

Production of food is dependent in large measure upon the labour force which is available to agriculture, and in the more highly developed countries this implies the number of workers. In many less highly developed countries numbers take second place to the health of the workers.

Food shortages are particularly severe in some areas where malaria and a variety of preventable diseases such as tuberculosis infections are debilitating the working capacity of the population. For example, there are over 300 million cases of malaria throughout the world annually, with at least three million deaths, and these are mainly in agricultural areas. This is one of the many problems facing the two agencies of the United Nations, the Food and Agricultural Organization and the World Health Organization, in efforts to combine health with greater food production and a higher standard of living generally.

In the cases of malaria and several other diseases which afflict agricultural areas, there are available new weapons, including insecticides and drugs. In the field of agriculture there are available advanced techniques. But there remain considerable areas of good agricultural land which are depopulated or poorly worked because of disease. The control of disease in such areas, with subsequent resettlement and intensive cultivation accompanied by the possibility of increasing yields by introduction of better methods, improved seeds, use of fertilizer, drainage and small irrigation projects, would raise the level of living for millions of people.

The first World Health Assembly, which met recently in Geneva, agreed that the secretariats of FAO and WHO "should collaborate in examining the problem of selecting areas for demonstrating control projects on the basis of the feasibility of effective malaria control and their potentiality as regards increased food production."

FERTILIZER SUPPLY GENERALLY GOOD

In general, there should be a sufficient supply for Canadian 1949 crop

requirements of the nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash fertilizers. As there are produced in Canada large quantities of sulphate of ammonia, ammonium nitrate and cyanamid in excess of Canadian requirements, sufficient of these nitrogen materials can be retained for domestic requirements by using present export controls says G. S. Peart, Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Phosphate supply in the form of superphosphate should be ample, but again this year there may be a shortage of 11-48 ammonium phosphate in the Prairie Provinces. This is due to a continued increase in demand in that part of Canada for this material while its production at Trail, the only source of supply, is not likely to be increased. Some 43,000 tons of 11-48 ammonium phosphate was used on the Prairies in the spring of 1948 as against 10,000 tons in 1943.

Potash supply from the United States and Europe should be ample provided that the tonnage arranged in France materializes as expected. Sulphate of potash with which to make tobacco fertilizer with low chlorine content may be short again this year.

FARM INVESTMENT TOTALS BILLIONS

Capital Investment in Canadian farms in 1947 amounted to \$6,253,716,000 according to the Quarterly Bulletin of Agricultural Statistics for April, June, 1948.

The items normally included in this figure are lands and buildings, implements and machinery including motor trucks and automobiles, and livestock including poultry and animals on fur farms. Because there is no information available yet on the value of fur-bearing animals on farms in 1947 this item is omitted. Despite this omission, the total value of farm capital for 1947 is eight per cent above the 1946 value of farm capital including fur farming.

With the exception of horses, gains were shown in the total value of classes of livestock and poultry. The estimated value of lands and buildings was almost 10 per cent above that of 1946, and the 1947 value of farm implements and machinery was well over 6 per cent higher than in the previous year.

INSPECTION CHECKS QUALITY OF FEEDS

It may not be sufficiently realized by farmers that the Dominion Government provides protection for the Canadian livestock and poultry feeder through the Feeding Stuffs Act and Regulations. This Act is administered by the Plant Products Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture and in brief is designed to set minimum standards of quality and chemical composition for all common feed stuffs offered for sale in Canada.

The manufacture and sale of the various feeds has developed into an industry of considerable size and importance. For example, during 1947 the manufacture of mixed feeds alone totalled 1,585,782 tons with a selling value at the plant of \$80,186,107. This does not include chopped grain, mill feeds, protein feeds and all other feed ingredients which come within the scope of the Act and which would bring the total to upwards of 5,000,000 tons.

This volume obviously presents sampling and testing difficulties, but all feeds are sampled and tested periodically. Last year some 4,480 samples were taken across Canada and tested chemically for protein, fat, fibre and mineral content and tested microscopically for physical composition.

Many feed manufacturers conduct their own tests and most do their utmost to produce high quality feeds, but all will agree that the government supervision, through testing and the Feeding Stuffs Act itself, has tended to have a better type of feed placed on the market for livestock and poultry consumption in Canada.

PEAK POULTRY EXPORTS

Canada's poultry exports are at an all time high, taking care of much of the current offerings, reducing storage stocks, and keeping the market much firmer than at this time a year ago.

In the first eight months of this year, that is, from January 1st to August 31, Canada exported more than 31 million pounds of poultry, compared with 7 million pounds for the entire 12 months of 1947. The previous peak year of poultry exports was 1944 when the year's exports totalled only 30 million pounds.

Last year, the bulk of poultry exports was dressed birds going to the United Kingdom. This year, live birds exceeded dressed with practically all of both alive and dressed going to the United States.

Storage stocks are down. On September 1, the quantity of fowl in stor-

age was only 2½ million pounds, compared with 7 1/3 million pounds a year earlier. Storage chicken totalled only 2½ million pounds, compared with 4½ million pounds on September 1, 1947.

The producers getting the most from export sales are those who raise their birds to heavy weights and finish them well.

Season When Men Are Shot For Deer

Wild game of all sorts is reported to be particularly plentiful in Northern Ontario this fall.

The season will soon be at hand when stories of hunting accidents will daily find their way into the news columns.

The northern forests in the Fall of the year are an attraction that draws thousands of citizens from the towns and cities of Ontario and the adjoining states of the Union. Deer trails have an allure that those who have once brought down their buck find hard to resist. The call of the moose, the whistling wings of the teal and black duck, the splash as they alight on the water's surface in a reedy inlet, the whirr of the ruffed grouse, suddenly flushed, have a peculiar fascination for the ardent sportsmen who make their annual trek to Ontario's great hunting grounds of "leaf fall" in the late Autumn.

For the most part these voyagers into the north are experienced in the use of firearms and will exercise care in handling of their weapons. But there will be many tyros whose experience in the handling of guns and rifles is limited.

Frequently these men, unaccustomed to the ways of the woods, are the victims of accidents or are the cause of others being killed or seriously injured. There are occasions when a man is mistaken for a deer; a finger presses the trigger on the spur of the moment before the eye has identified the target; a gun discharges through careless handling; a trigger catches

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While all these accidents that occur during the hunting season are not to be ascribed to carelessness, there is no question that the greater percentage of them are to be attributed to failure of sportsmen to exercise the precautions that are necessary if accident is to be avoided.

No man should enter the bush without first having received a schooling in the use of the firearm he proposes using; until he has had it firmly

fixed in his mind that care must be his watchword and that he must not discharge his rifle until he is certain that what he is aiming at is not a human being.

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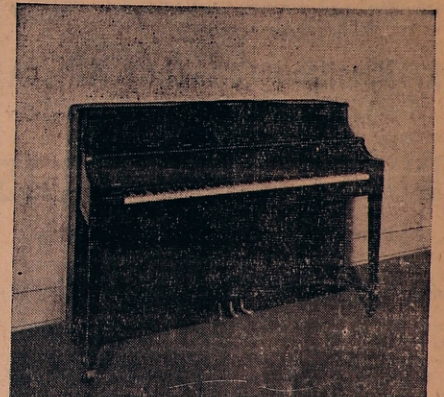
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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, October 10th, 1948
11.00 a.m.—S.S. and Morning Worship
West Huntingdon
2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
3.00 p.m.—Worship Service

Rawdon Circuit UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. H. C. Vachlavik — Minister
Sunday, October 10th, 1948
Bethel — No Service
2.30—Mount Pleasant, Special Memorial Service
7.30—Wellman's

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. R. W. Barker, M.A., S.T.B. Minister
Sunday, October 10th, 1948
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Thanksgiving Service
Carmel
1.45 p.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Thanksgiving Service

Madoc Junction

Neighbours and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley last Friday evening to honour Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stapley, (nee Doris Reid). A short programme with Mr. C. Fitchett, as chairman, was presented. Mr. Gordon Nelson read an address to the honoured couple and Hugh McMullen made the presentation of two lovely white wool blankets. Harold and Doris graciously replied, expressing their appreciation. Refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed bringing a pleasant evening to a close.

We are very sorry to report Mr. Bruce Stapley is still a patient in Belleville General Hospital. His many friends here wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Christie and family moved last week to their new

home in Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen attended Bethel Anniversary Service last Sunday morning and spent the dinner hour with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McInroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow and June White attended Warkworth Fair last Friday and spent the week-end with relatives at Dartford and Warkworth. Miss White spent the week-end with her parents at Harwood.

Several from here attended Madoc Fair on Wednesday.

Miss Hilda Stapley spent a couple of days this week in Trenton with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Stapley.

Carmel

At the Church service on Sunday Rev. R. W. Barker held a baptismal service and a reception service. Gary Wayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hedley Richardson (nee Marion Hubble), John

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, October 10th, 1948
10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2 p.m.—Gospel Bells Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and Bible Study
Speaker: Geo. Butcher

Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Grills, and Mary Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter VanDusen, were baptized. The silver baptismal bowl used was donated by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conley in 1945, in memory of their son, Pilot Officer Roy Conley, who was killed over Germany in 1944. Mary Ellen VanDusen is the grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conley. Three former members of other churches were received and one by profession of faith. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks and family moved into their new home, the residence formerly owned by the late Wm. Farrell. Mr. Brooks has completely renovated it and installed electricity.

Fifteen ladies attended the tea and bazaar held at Springbrook, on Thursday under the auspices of the W.A. Mrs. Ray Hagerman contributed a reading to the programme.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and Verna were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Caskey, Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Bray, Rochester, N.Y., spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Lorne Brooks, and Mr. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear, Mr. J. Carlisle, Mr. Ernest Carlisle and Mrs. Jos. Grills attended Picton Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey attended English Line Anniversary and visited the Parker family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pyear, Mrs. Helen Neal and Bobby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Martin, Corbyville.

Mr. Wm. Montgomery and Mrs. Fennell, Norwood, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Grills.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnston, Godolphin, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Nolan, Oshawa, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pyear spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Robson, Holloway, and attended Bethel Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Grills spent Sunday evening with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson, Havelock.

Marsh Hill

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Frost, Holloway, and Mrs. Ed. Ross and grandson, of Hamilton, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ross on Monday.

Mr. Ralph Campbell, of Toronto, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell.

Mrs. S. Ward, of Toronto, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Fred Heasman, and Mrs. Heasman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ross spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thompson, at Stockdale.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Hollinger spent the week end at Niagara Falls. Chatterton W.M.S.

Chatterton W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. A. Tanner on Tuesday afternoon with 11 members and one visitor present. The president, Mrs. W. Lindenfield, opened the meeting and presided over a business meeting, during which there were discussions re Mission Band, quilts and clothing for bale and overseas relief, press notices, church calendars, etc. Mrs. E. B. Finkle had her usual good report

and newsy comments on the temperance question. The program was under the direction of Mrs. Tanner, and she was assisted in the worship service by Mrs. L. Finkle, Mrs. Chas. Ross and Mrs. Hawley, and in a Friendship Corner program by Mrs. F. Campbell, Mrs. B. Finkle, Mrs. F. Heasman and Mrs. F. Finkle. Mrs. Wm. Bartindale very ably presented the Study Book Chapter. The offering of \$11.50 in envelopes and 90c loose collection was dedicated by a unison prayer, and the closing prayers were offered by Mrs. F. Finkle, Miss Mae Currie, Mrs. F. Campbell and Mrs. Lindenfield. Mrs. Tanner served sandwiches, cake and tea at the close.

River Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bush, Glen Miller, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Esqleton, of Thurlow, visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Irven, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kane and family visited friends in Peterborough Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Bush spent Thursday night with Miss Doris Pollock and they attended the teachers' convention in Tweed on Friday.

Mrs. Harry Hulin spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Roy Bush.

A number from the Valley attended the wedding of Miss Daisy Kent and Mr. Raymond Lohnes in St. John's Anglican Church on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heasman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Donohoe have returned home from Quebec where they spent a few days holidaying.

Oak Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Black, of Kingston, were week end guests of his sister, Mrs. Robert Kerr.

Mrs. Harry Patterson, of Clayton, N.Y., and Mrs. Walter Hagerman, of Newcastle, are arriving today to spend a few days and will be guests at the Searles-Lynch wedding in Belleville on Saturday.

Wellmans

Mrs. G. Dickens, of Belleville spent Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd King.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Vachlavik took tea on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hinds and family.

Miss June Dunham, of Belleville, spent the week end at her home here.

Mrs. Fred King spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Mrs. Hind, of Belleville, visited recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jackman and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sine took dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Crowe and family at Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chumbley and children spent the tea hour on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carman Nix and Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sine were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pollock, of Burnbrae.

Mr. and Mrs. Elap Westcott, of Oshawa and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White of Mount Pleasant spent Thursday afternoon and the tea hour with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher.

Mrs. A. Robins and Mrs. S. Lloyd, of Sydney, spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher.

Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Nicolson, Mr. and Mrs. Seward, of Wallbridge, were recent Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sine and Mrs. Rebecca Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hollinger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross and Raymond were Tuesday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John McMullen.

Mrs. Leslie Blakley and son, Brian, of Madoc, were Friday dinner guests of Mrs. Henry Allen and Melanie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Barton, Murray and Glen, of Havelock, were tea hour guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. John McMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart and baby were Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bulton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLaren and Beverley, of Oshawa, Mrs. Hawkins, of Stirling, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heath and Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Elliott were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Elliott and family of West Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ross and Raymond and Mrs. John McMullen were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thompson, Trenton and saw the new baby girl, Carol Dianne, born Sept. 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Heath, of Springbrook were tea hour guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heath and Leda.

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Springbrook

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Mr. and Mrs. Murney Bateman, Judy and Linda spent Sunday last guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gordon, Marmora.



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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF Ida Esther Rosebush, late of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, widow, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims against the Estate of Ida Esther Rosebush, late of the Village of Stirling, Widow, deceased, are requested to file particulars and proofs thereof with the undersigned Solicitor for Carleton Wright and Claude L. Tucker, the Executors, on or before the 21st day of October, A.D. 1948, after which date the Estate will be distributed to the parties entitled thereto having regard only for those claims for which notice has been received.

DATED at Stirling, Ontario, this 22nd day of Sept. A.D. 1948.
C. R. Bastedo, Stirling, Ont.,
Solicitor for the Executors. 49-3p

Birth

MORTON — In Regina, Sask., hospital, on Monday, October 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton, a son, Joe, a brother for Judith Dianne.

Springbrook W.A.

On Thursday, September 30th, over one hundred and eighty ladies gathered at Springbrook Orange Hall as special guests of Springbrook W.A. The day was ideal and the drive was and practically everything was sold. The program proper opened at 2.15

p.m., with the President, Mrs. Burton Bateman, presiding. The Worship service consisted of a hymn of consecration with Mrs. Thos. McKeown playing the accompaniment. Mrs. Carman Sine offered prayer and Mrs. George Thompson read the Bible lesson. After the theme song, the president extended a hearty welcome to all the guests. The program was as follows:

Bethel — Vocal Selection, "In the Garden of To-morrow", Mrs. Harold Elliott with Mrs. Wm. Heath as accompanist.

St. Mark's — A reading by Mrs. Arthur Brown, "A World Vision of Missionary Needs".

Mount Pleasant — Vocal selection, "In the Garden" by Mrs. Wilbert Jeffs with Mrs. Kenneth Weaver as accompanist.

Wellman's — Reading "Love Your Neighbour" by Mrs. Clarence Dunham.

Stirling St. Paul's — Vocal selection "Bless This House", by Mrs. Harold West accompanied by Mrs. N. E. Eggleston.

Carmel — Reading "Ma and the Auto", by Mrs. Ray Hagerman.

Rylestone — A Missionary reading, "An Offering or a Collection", by Mrs. L. Anderson.

Marmora, St. Andrew's — A humorous reading "Farmer John's Wife, Jane", Mrs. W. Pack.

St. Thomas — Vocal selection, "My Task", by Mrs. E. Colden with Miss Edna Tanner as accompanist.

Salem — A reading, "Forget Me", by Mrs. Ivan Saries.

At this juncture, recess was declared so all could visit the tables and make purchases.

At 4.30 p.m. the ladies were seated at decorated tables in the basement and were served afternoon tea including a large array of jellies, cakes and other appetizing refreshments.

Mrs. Ray Shortt, of Bethel and Mrs. John S. McKeown, Rylestone, voiced thanks for hospitality at the close of a delightful afternoon. The receipts of the day were very gratifying to those who had worked so hard to make the day a success.

Boldrick-Mumby Nuptials

The United Church at Springbrook Ont., was the scene of a very pretty wedding at 2 p.m., on Saturday, September 25, when Rev. Ralph Barker, of Stirling, united in marriage Audrey Linn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mumby, of Springbrook, to Everett Carman Boldrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Boldrick, of Tweed.

Colorful gladioli and asters were arranged at the altar with banking of ferns on either side as suitable background for the ceremony. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Clarence Thompson, of Rylestone, cousin of the bride. Mrs. Tom Saries, of Stirling, sang "I Love You Truly" before the ceremony and "Because" during the signing of the register.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a floor-length gown of ivory slipper satin, buttoned down the back to the waist; long sleeves; French lace yoke and sweetheart neckline, with the bouffant skirt inset with matching lace panels. Her embroidered fingertip veil of Brussels lace was caught with a net coronet, and she carried a cascade of red roses and baby's breath tied with white satin ribbon.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Norma Mason, of Belleville, who wore a floor-length gown of blue brocade satin, with fishtail bustle back, French nylon net yoke and wide Peter Pan collar. Her embroidered shoulder veil was held in place by a band of pink rosebuds and she carried a cascade of pink roses tied with blue satin ribbon.

The groom was ably supported by his brother, Douglas Boldrick, of Tweed, while the ushers were Delbert Mumby and Don Boldrick, brothers of the bride and groom.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for about seventy-five immediate relatives and friends.

The bride's mother received in a dress of grey silk crepe, matching hat, and black accessories and wore a corsage of red roses, while the groom's mother wore blue silk crepe, with black accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Misses Jean Morton, Ruth Knox, Molly Mumby and Lois McCaw, friends of the bride, served. Amid showers of best wishes, confetti and rice, the happy couple left for a wedding trip to Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo. The bride chose for travelling a grey gabardine suit, black shortie coat and black accessories with a corsage of pink and red roses.

On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Boldrick will reside in Belleville. The groom's gift to his bride was

a chest of silver, "Plantation pattern". The bride's gift to the groom was a Ronson lighter, to her bridesmaid a gold compact. The groomsmen and ushers each received leather billfolds, the soloist and pianist, cups and saucers; to the waitresses, each a set of silver earrings, and those assisting in the kitchen each received glass hand-painted cookie containers.

Guests were present from Huntville, Port Hope, Bancroft, Belleville, Concession, Campbellford and Tweed.

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Unfortunately, however, there are no check charts to indicate the number of times she turns on the hot water tap and makes the water heater switch on. In the rural area this also forces the pump to operate and therefore two electric switches are operated by turning a tap—sometimes unnecessarily.

There are women who own a modern electric range but do not operate it wisely. For instance, they roast a piece of meat in the oven, boil potatoes on one surface element, carrots on another, make a sauce on the third and a pudding on the fourth. With forethought and the use of ovenware dishes, all the above foods may be cooked in the electric oven using one element only.

Like many other household duties, we should plan the management of electric switches. Women who prevent waste of electricity will be rewarded, for this will mean there will be sufficient power to operate industrial and farm machinery—such equipment provides the husband's earning, and the necessities for the home.

Water Heating

1. Do not use running hot water. When bathing, doing dishes or laundry, use it sparingly.
2. Do not leave hot water taps dripping; replace worn-out washers on taps.

Washing Machine

1. Soak soiled clothes in cold water.
2. Fill washing machine with hot water only to the water line.
3. Use warm water for only one rinse; a second or third rinse can

- be made in cold water.
4. Apply soft soap to very soiled areas of goods and time laundry operation: 8 minutes for bed linens and 12 minutes for soiled clothes. Rinsing in machine requires 5 minutes per load.

Home Lighting

1. Invite the family to group around an adequate lamp for good vision—for reading, studying and mending.
2. Do not burn lamps in unused rooms; do not forget to turn out lamps as soon as you leave the room.
3. Keep lamp shades and fixtures clean; dirty fixtures absorb as much as one-quarter of the light.

Electric Range

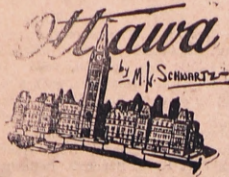
1. When you roast or braise meat, plan an oven meal which can be cooked at the same time.
2. Cook all vegetables in a small amount of rapidly boiling salted water. When the vegetable is added, cover with a tight fitting lid and turn the element from High to Medium or Low.
3. Use kettle which fits the electric element so that the entire cooking surface is heated quickly.
4. Use your pressure cooker whenever you can.
5. Make a time chart for the amounts of foods cooked for your family and abide by the chart you compose.

Refrigerator

1. Defrost refrigerator regularly every week or 10 days.
2. When storing food, or preparing meals, make one "loading" or "unloading" do.
3. Do not use the refrigerator to store foods which should be in the pantry. Take out jams, pickles and canned goods.
4. Be sure and cool hot foods before putting them in the refrigerator.

Other Appliances

1. Do not leave the radio on when no one is listening.
2. Turn iron off before the ironing is completed—it will retain enough heat to finish several articles.



NEW LOOK IN POLITICS

The two national political conventions held in this nation's capital in a relatively short time have given this impartial observer the exceptional opportunity of meeting large numbers of representatives of both major parties from across this country and of gauging their opinions so that it is most significant to report from "on the spot" inside this capital that these gatherings were not cut and dried affairs where delegates were buttonholed or dictated by higher ups how to vote or to act in face of widespread and implications of all sorts causing such impressions to circulate outside this capital.

It is possibly true that lobbyists as well as others may have worked behind the scenes but any experienced political observer of such national meets is not startled by such reports since these tactics are traditional and there is nothing new nor sensational about them, with such similar stories having come out of the previous national convention of the Liberals in Ottawa in 1919 when Mackenzie King was named leader and in Winnipeg in 1942 when John Bracken was chosen to head the Progressive Conservatives. However, these gatherings were not controlled by higher-ups and delegates were not gagged nor their freedom curbed in voting or discussing resolutions, policy or leadership quite bluntly, the 1948 gatherings were no "rubber stamp" meetings except by stretching the imagination beyond reason and they were not run from the top as rumours insinuate with the remark that, compared with previous national gatherings of this kind, the activities in these latest gatherings of more women delegates and representatives of the younger age groups were strongly suggestive of progress and changes in tune with the times.

Then again, it can be reported now that stories about both major political parties getting "revitalized" by younger leaders and about the leadership race in each party were not strictly in accord with observations "on the spot". As a matter of fact, the new Liberal leader, Rt. Hon.

Louis St. Laurent is a little older than 65-year-old Hon. John Bracken whose decision in part at least to retire was attributed by him to his age and it is an open secret here that Premier Drew's delay in announcing his decision about contesting the Progressive-Conservative leadership was interpreted here as possibly intended to indicate the job was seeking the man rather than the man was seeking the job. Likewise, other much publicized doings and speculations before the selection of each leader were colourful stories but, not in reality, as important as they appear to be since "on the spot" in this capital there is little doubt that platforms and policies were far more important.

Freshly imbued with the likes and dislikes of the "little people" in the constituencies which they represented across this country, the delegates at these two national gatherings seemed to be quite practical minded in showing or whispering that they were more concerned about platforms or policies than about the mere personality of the new leader with this coming out only too frequently in behind the scenes talks with delegates who appeared to be very much interested in what can be done about rising prices, high taxation, national defence, social security, fight against Communism, constitutional changes and many other everyday problems arising from current conditions at home and abroad.

In conclusion, the reaction of the delegates, the rank and file at these big conventions the greatest reorganizing has left little doubt that these meetings were not "rubber stamp" gatherings and this will be proven true in coming events in the federal political arena, it is hinted here, with both big political parties proceeding immediately to mend their political fences for a possible general election in 1949 or shortly thereafter. Indeed, it may be reported that opinion along Parliament Hill now is that following these big conventions the greatest reorganization and intensification activities in the history of both parties will be carried out in the coming months as a bid for popular approval of the electorate is made.

War Pensions Cost

"The policy of the Pension Commission is to award, not to deny, the pension which is at all times subject to the provisions of the Pensions Act," emphasized Brig. J. L. Melville, Chairman, Canadian Pension Commission, during an address here, revealing that the Commission is paying monthly in excess of \$8,000,000 to the 200,000 disabled ex-servicemen of World Wars I and II so that for the present fiscal year a total of \$105,000,000 would be needed for such purposes. It was an expenditure never before equalled and was due in part to the 25% pension boost granted early this year.

They're Still Buying

Notwithstanding all gloomy stories that retail business is not as good as last year, yet official information here seems to contradict such opinions, with this information based on a nation-wide survey by the authorities. This survey reveals that in the first seven months of 1948, Jan. 1 to July, retail sales advanced 12.1% over the similar period of 1947, with all areas showing gains such as 15% each in Ontario and British Columbia, 10% Quebec, 9% Prairie Provinces, and 7% Maritimes. In various trades, there were gains of 18.3% for women's wear stores, 16.4% variety stores, 15.3% food, 13.8% department stores, 12.3% shoes, 12.1% men's clothing, 10.2% family clothing, 8.7% country general stores, 9% drug stores, 8.3% hardware stores, 6.4% radio and electrical stores, 4.4% restaurants, 2.4% jewelry, etc. These gains were in dollar volume.

Said in the Capital

"Together, local, provincial and federal governments will spend more than \$100,000,000 a year from now on in making people happier, healthier in mind and body," prophesied Health & Welfare Minister Martin in an address here.

"There is no venture that service clubs could support with better results than these camps that take boys off the streets," said Sgt. J. F. Ade, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, in a speech in the capital in discussing camping facilities for boys in summer months.

"A park should be beautiful but we should not be afraid to use it as well as look at it," recommended L. H. Weir, Director, Parks and Recreation Service, Washington, D.C., in a talk to experts here.

"I hope that I shall be worthy of the opportunity of giving further service to my country," stressed External Affairs Minister "Mike" Pearson, concerning his new job as Minister of this Department.

"The people of Canada and United States must understand that rates must increase or hotels will not be

able to operate," said the well-known American hotel company executive and former Canadian, David B. Mulligan, during a visit to this capital, revealing that operating costs of hotels have jumped up over 250% in recent years.

"Ottawa is the finest, prettiest and cleanest city in the world and I have travelled all over," was the high compliment to this nation's capital by William H. Sayen, of New Jersey, where he is head of the Mercer Rubber Co.

Weekly Wind-Up

With pay, conditions and opportunities greatly improved in Canada's armed services, the army, navy and air forces are seeking suitable recruits to bring them up to requirements for national defence and there is no doubt that any casual examination of the change indicates that life and opportunity in the services are considerably better now than in pre-war days.

Most people think of a museum as a collection of curiosities, whereas in reality it is a living thing and an invaluable channel for modern education, emphasized here the Director of the National Art Gallery, H. O. Mc-

Curry, stating that plans have been made for the initial meeting in this capital of the Canadian Museums Association in October, with curators from the larger museums across Canada attending.

Prefabricated hospitals, nurses' quarters and doctors' quarters are being built for the Health Department of the Canadian Government and moved into remote areas where the treatment of Indians and Eskimos has always been difficult, is reported here.

The proposed Dominion-Provincial conference on the Trans-Canada highway is likely to take place in Ottawa sometime this fall or early winter.

MUNICIPAL SCHOOL

The Department of Municipal Affairs in a letter to all Municipal Councils dated Sept. 11th, gives in detail the schedule and proceedings of a school to be set up in Bancroft from Oct. 20th to 22nd, for the instruction of correct proceedings in assessing, auditing and accounting, and to clerks, and general information. This school has been in operation by the Department for the past two years and has proven its worth to municipal officials who have attended.

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ENGLISH JOURNEY

BY WALTER R. LEGGE

ARTICLE 10

At Bristol we stayed at the Royal Hotel where the Canadian editors lived for ten days in 1942.

This hotel was severely damaged by a bomb in 1941 and about half of the hotel, including the dining hall was destroyed. Some of the damage has been cleaned up but the hotel is still carrying on with about half of its rooms.

The Royal was the only hotel at which we stayed overnight during our whole six weeks in England as the rest of the time was spent with relatives and friends. We were made quite comfortable at the Royal and the meals were better than other hotels at which we ate.

To give some idea of the meals here the breakfast menu on May 25th was stewed apples or porridge or cereal; grilled mackerel or Finnan haddock or kippered herrings or scrambled eggs; toast; tea or coffee, while dinner on the same day was soup; roast turkey or grilled turbot or wast beef; dessert; tea and coffee. Helpings at all hotels are very small, but few offer such a splendid variety and these menus cannot be taken as indicative of the average menu in better class hotels in England today. Among the guests at the Royal while we were there was Chief Tito-Gasabusa Winyi IV, chief of the 100,000 people of Bunyoro-Kitari-Uganda.

Bristol is one of the most historic and interesting cities in England although it suffered more than most places during the war.

Here John Wesley built his first chapel and founded the Methodist Church — Wordsworth wrote his first poem — and from here John Cabot sailed to discover the mainland of America, and many other equally notable things the part of Bristol's history. It was the birthplace of Robert Southey.

Among the unique things at Bristol is Christmas street, a steep street, partly stairs, which was opened in 1669 and is apparently unchanged since then.

Another ancient landmark is the Norman gate which stands near Bristol Cathedral.

Bristol is one of the municipal ports of England only six miles from the sea, and the way in which ships come up almost into the centre of the city is most astonishing. When we were there two Swedish warships, the Stockholm and the Norrköping were paying a courtesy visit to Bristol and gave the astonishing appearance of being moored in the middle of the street.

Bristol's real gem of architecture is St. Mary Redcliffe Church which Queen Elizabeth declared was the fairest, goodliest and most famous parish church in all England. Although many buildings around it were destroyed by bombs, St. Mary Redcliffe escaped serious injury although marked by flying fragments.

Another church, famous for its leaning tower, Temple Church, was completely destroyed, leaving the leaning tower still standing and still leaning three feet, nine inches out of perpendicular. It was only recently discovered that vandals had deliberately hacked to pieces many stone and marble memorials which emerged undamaged from the destruction wrought at Temple Church by the German air raiders. To get at them the vandals had to batter down stout-iron bars and wire netting.

There are many of the most attractive spots easily reached from Bristol. One of these is Wells, an ancient cathedral city.

Wells Cathedral is one of the finest in England, famous for many unusual features. Its history goes back 1220 years when a church was built by the wells which still flow and fill the moat around the bishop's palace. Parts of the present church were built in 1191 and the wonderful west front with its rows of statues was built between 1206 and 1242.

In the church is one of the oldest and most unusual clocks in the world dating from 1392. As each hour approaches crowds of visitors gather to watch for on the striking of the hour knights on horseback revolve in opposite directions representing a tournament, while a figure known as Jack Blandifier, seated some distance from the clock, strikes his heels against bells, and on the outside of the walls, two knights in armour strike with battle axes on bells.

The stone vaulting and carving both inside and out at Wells Cathedral is beyond description.

The Bishop's palace grounds are surrounded by a high wall, outside of which is a moat in the water of which are many swans and ducks. The swans have been trained to ring a bell whenever they are hungry.

Near the cathedral is a famous old

street known as the Bishop's Close, one of the oldest and prettiest streets in England.

About five miles from Wells, lies Glastonbury Abbey which now in ruins draws thousands of visitors from all parts of the English-speaking world.

It is the legendary Isle of Avalon, and evidence shows that Glastonbury was actually at one time either an island or a peninsula.

Legend tells that Joseph of Arimathea wandered into Somerset and one Christmas morning reached the Isle of Avalon. The saint struck his staff into the ground, whereupon it sprouted and flowered and the brethren accepted this as a sign that their wanderings were over and they erected a small Wattle church on the site.

St. Patrick is believed to have visited it on several occasions.

It is the Avon of Tennyson's poem of the death of King Arthur and in the Abbey ruins is marked the reputed burial place of King Arthur and his wife Guinevere.

The body of King Arthur was discovered and buried before the High Altar of Henry II and it is recorded that the relics were visited by Edward I and Eleanor in 1276.

Glastonbury Abbey at one time was one of the largest, finest and most revered in England, but it has fallen into ruins which still retain some measure of majesty.

About a mile away is the Blood spring or Chalice Well, under the waters of which, according to legend, Joseph of Arimathea hid the Holy Grail, of Chalice of the Last Supper, whereupon the waters gushed forth. It is reasonably certain to believe that the first Christian baptism in England took place here. The masonry is believed to be of Druidic origin. The spring is chalybeate and its output of 25,000 gallons a day has never failed.

Other ancient landmarks in Glastonbury include the Pilgrims Inn, built by Abbot Selwood in the 15th century, with a remarkably panelled front; the Abbot's Barn, a cruciform building, 93 feet long with massive walls, dating from the fourteenth century; the Abbot's Kitchen, a gem of medieval architecture; and the ancient almshouses.

No visitor to England should miss spending a couple of days at Glastonbury and Wells.

Before leaving Bristol we paid a visit to Bristol Cathedral which is not so well known to Canadians as it should be, for it is a beautiful building with many Canadian associations. In it are the colours of the 128th Canadian Battalion of Moose Jaw. The original colours were deposited on March 11, 1917, but were later taken back to Canada and duplicates were substituted in the Cathedral.

Bristol Cathedral does not present the appearance of antiquity that many others possess, but this does not detract in the least from its dignity and impressiveness. However, the Elder Lady Chapel dates from about 1230, much of it to the fourteenth century and the nave and western towers are modern but designed to harmonize perfectly with the whole. The architecture includes Norman, Early English, decorated and perpendicular, some of it being of unrivalled beauty.

From Bristol we made our way by stages back to Liverpool where we had a few hours before boarding the Ascania for home.

The Germans did their best to destroy Liverpool but without success although there are still numerous signs of the damage they accomplished.

Fortunately they did not damage either of the Cathedrals, for there are two, an Anglican and a Roman Catholic, both under construction. The Anglican one will be the largest in England when completed. Strange to say the architect for the Anglican is a Roman Catholic and the architect for the R.C. cathedral is an Anglican, according to reports.

What Others Say!

WHERE THE MONEY GOES
(Peterborough Examiner)

We are interested to read in the annual report of Canada Packers that the firm paid \$1,500,000 in the form of profit-sharing bonuses to its employees; it paid \$1,000,000 in dividends to its shareholders. This is an aspect of private enterprise which is rarely mentioned by those who seek to destroy it.

IF TO SURVIVE

(Brockville Recorder and Times)
Everybody nowadays who is on a fixed income finds himself crushed



Premier George Drew

Who was chosen leader of the Dominion Progressive-Conservative Party at the Ottawa Convention last week.

between it and higher costs of existence. The rural minister is one of the acute sufferers from that economic circumstance. Undoubtedly he requires relief if he is to survive and just as undoubtedly that relief must be forthcoming if people are to enter the ministry in required numbers.

A SIMPLE FORM

(Financial Post)

The income tax form for those earning up to \$3,000 a year has been greatly simplified. It still isn't as simple as one suggested by a tormented form filler. His contained only four lines:

1. What was your income for the year?
2. What were your expenses?
3. How much have you left?
4. Send it in.

DREW BALLOT MAKES HISTORY

The Progressive Conservative party made history Saturday by electing its new leader—Premier Drew of Ontario—on the first ballot.

At the party's three previous conventions two ballots were necessary each time to settle the leadership contest.

At the 1927 convention, the late Viscount Bennett won on the second ballot. In 1938, the late Hon. R. J. Manion failed to win an overall majority on the first ballot, but managed to do so on the second.

The situation was similar in 1942 when John Bracken, whose retirement led to the convention which elected Mr. Drew, was declared elected on the second vote.

Slow Up at Twilight Advise Officials

Contending that early darkness contributes to October's usually high toll of child traffic casualties in Ontario, officials of the Department of Highways urge drivers to take account of this factor and reduce speed at twilight.

October they point out, is the worst month of the year for traffic fatalities among school age children. Darkness is beginning to settle when they start for home; and in the dusk they are less perceptible to the motorist. Less light requires less speed if accidents are to be avoided.

Children themselves, say the officials, should be taught to understand that early darkness makes them less visible to the motorist; that they themselves can see an approaching car seconds before its driver can spot them. Parents, teachers and other influential persons should impress on children the need for crossing streets only when there is plenty of time to reach the other side before traffic reaches them. Another good safety habit at night is to wear or carry something white, say the highway spokesmen.

The provincial drive on child traffic accidents, launched before school opening, is being continued throughout October. Press, radio, schools, service clubs and many other public and private agencies are giving strong support to this enterprise and its slogan, "Ontario cannot afford to lose one child".

hours and 40 minutes, you'd use one kilowatt hour of electricity. It would cost a little less than one cent."

OUR TRADE POSITION IMPROVES

Canadian imports from the United Kingdom during July were valued at \$29 million, which constitutes a record. The total is two million dollars larger than that for May, 1948, which was the former highest figure on record. Imports for consumption in Canada aggregate \$168 million for the first seven months of the current calendar year, compared with \$189 million for the twelve months of 1947, and with \$201 million for the same period in 1946, when the highest figure was reached. If the average monthly figure is maintained, the peak of 1946 will be passed this September. From all accounts, this condition will be revealed when the statistics concerned are made available.

Canadian domestic exports to the United States registered a rise in July to \$118 million, which is the highest total for any single month since December, 1944. The aggregate for seven months is \$765 million, whereas that for the twelve months of 1947 was just over \$1000 million. If the monthly average for the last seven months is maintained, the total for 1948 will exceed slightly the figure for 1944, when a record was established. Imports for consumption from the United States were lower than in June, but the value was slightly higher than in May.

Reduced Rates For Ottawa Winter Fair

Reduced rail fares for persons travelling to the Ottawa Winter Fair to be held from October 25 to October 29, inclusive, were announced this week by J. A. Brass chairman of the Canadian Passenger Association.

Reduced fare tickets may be purchased from stations in the Province of Quebec, Montreal and west, and stations in the Province of Ontario, except those west of Toronto and North Bay but including the Toronto-North Bay line via Huntsville.

Round trip fares will be sold for the normal one-way first class and

coach class fares plus one-third. Tickets will be honored going from Saturday, October 23 to Friday, October 29, inclusive. On the return trip tickets will be accepted leaving Ottawa up to midnight on Saturday, October 30.

TEACHERS' FALL CONFERENCE TO BE HELD AT MADOC

One of the Fall Conferences of the Women Teachers' Federation will be held in the Public School, Madoc, on October 16th, at 9:30 a.m. Four delegates are expected from each Association, but all teachers are requested to attend. Teachers from the counties of Peterborough, Haliburton, Northumberland, Hastings, Lennox, will discuss such topics as Research, Legislation, Finance, Status, Superannuation, Guidance, etc. For any information contact the Regional Director, Margaret Greene, Peterborough or Madoc Association President, Lorraine Connor.

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LOHNES—KENT

St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling, was the scene of a very pretty Fall wedding on Saturday, October 2nd,

at 2.30 p.m., when Daisy-Elleen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kent, of River Valley, became the bride of Raymond Harrison Lohnes, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Lohnes, of Frankford, Ont. Rev.

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All those interested in providing hockey for the younger boys of the Village and district are urged to be present and assist in making plans for the coming season.

A. J. Anderson, rector of St. John's officiated at the ceremony.

The church was tastefully decorated with baskets of Michaelmas Daisies and ferns, while multicolored asters adorned the altar; the guest pews were decked with white bows and small bunches of Daisies.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Harry Morrow and Mrs. Walter Warren sang "May All the Joys Be Thine", during the signing of the register.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a brocaded sheer, period gown, with a chantilly lace yoke, draped and caught with seed pearls; her full skirt was thrice draped at the front, revealing rows of very fine lace. Her full-length veil of tulle illusion was caught with a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade of red roses.

Miss Lorna McConnell, close friend of the bride, was senior bridesmaid and wore a gown of blush pink silk taffeta, with a low neckline, fitted bodice and peplum, with very full skirt, draped in the front to reveal her lace petticoat. Her shoulder length veil was of pink tulle and was held by a headdress of pink flowers; she wore pink tulle mitts and a double strand of pale pink pearls, the gift of the bride and groom. She carried a nosegay of yellow 'mums, centered with a pink rose.

Miss Margaret-Marie Kent was her sister's junior bridesmaid. She was attired in a turquoise silk taffeta gown fashioned the same as the senior bridesmaid's. She wore a shoulder-length blue tulle veil and mitts and wore a pale blue double strand of pearls, the gift of the bride and groom and carried a nosegay of yellow and mauve 'mums, centered with a tea rose.

Little Miss Julia-May Savage was her cousin's flower girl, and she wore a lilac silk taffeta dress, fashioned on the same lines as the bridesmaids'. She wore a lilac poke bonnet and carried a nosegay of bronze 'mums centered with a pink rose.

The bride's and groom's gift to the flower girl was a gold bracelet and to the organist and soloist, dainty earrings and to the ushers and groomsmen, a pen and pencil desk set. The groom's gift to the bride was a cheque for fifty dollars.

Mr. Eugene Lohnes was his brother's groomsmen, and Mr. Walter Savage, uncle of the bride and Mr. Bruce Bell were the ushers.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for forty guests at the Dutch Mill Inn, Trenton. The bride's mother received, wearing a cinnamon crepe dress, with green accessories and a corsage of yellow 'mums. The groom's mother assisted, wearing a blue figured jersey dress, with black hat and a corsage of white 'mums.

The great-grandfather of the bride, Mr. Frederick William Clarke Kent, of Toronto, was honoured guest at the reception.

The bride chose for her trip to Toronto, a wine-colored wool suit with green accessories and wore a corsage of red roses. Upon their return they will reside in Frankford.

Out-of-town guests were from Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Belleville.

Nephew of Bonarlaw Resident, Head of Hospital, Rescued From Raft

Victoria, Oct. 5 — After clinging to a life raft for 35 hours, Dr. H. A. McLean, head of the Nootka Mission Hospital, was rescued off the west coast of Vancouver Island.

He reported the loss of the Messenger II, sturdy little mission and hospital ship, and the disappearance of his 14-year-old son, Bruce, presumably swept overboard on Monday.

Meagre details of the tragedy were received today by long distance telephone from Mrs. McLean, now at Nootka, 175 miles northwest of here. The mission boat, it was reported, was en route from Port Renfrew, 50 miles northwest of Victoria, to Bamfield, B.C.

Dr. McLean is a nephew of Mr. Jesse Barlow, of Bonarlaw.

"Early History of St. Paul's Church"

(Continued from Page One)

and circumstances leading up to the composing of these favourite hymns, namely, "The Doxology", "Holy, Holy, Holy", "Nearer My God To Thee", "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee", "Take My Life and Let It Be", "Rock of Ages", "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say", and "Abide With Me". This was very entertaining and all the ladies deeply appreciated this address and music by Mrs. Elliott.

Mrs. Harold West favoured the W.A. with a pleasing solo, "The Lord's Prayer" accompanied at the piano, by Mrs. Harold Elliott. The meeting closed with the singing of a hymn and prayer. A very dainty luncheon was served by the committee.

The sincere thanks to the hostesses, Mrs. Oliver Stapley, Mrs. Grant Stapley, the guest speaker, Mrs. Harold Elliott, all who took part on the program and the entire committee in charge, for the excellent meeting was ably voiced by Mrs. Volney Richardson.

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"Thanksgiving" Theme of River Valley Women's Institute Program

Money Raised For Food Boxes To Be Sent To England — Good Programme

The October meeting of River Valley Women's Institute was held on October 7th and was based on Thanksgiving.

The hostess, Mrs. Frank Carr and Mrs. Ernest Carr entertained about twenty-five members and visitors.

Mrs. Percy Utman presided and after the opening exercises, the roll call was answered with the keyword, "What Am I Thankful For?". In the business period mention was made of sick members and thanks were tendered for boxes received. Mrs. Ed. Kent will be the delegate to the Area Convention in Belleville in November and it is hoped others will be able to attend.

Twenty-four ladies each paid 25 cents to be used for a special Christmas box for Bristol, England. W.I. and twenty ladies each paid \$1.00 in lieu of baking at Stirling Fair. This money is to be used to send boxes of food to England. Plans were made for a quilting in the near future. At the November meeting, Mr. A. O. Dalrymple will be the guest speaker. Mrs. Don Donohoe prepared the programme which was based on Thanksgiving and read a poem "The Landing of the Pilgrims". All sang "For the Beauty of the Earth" and Mrs. John Donohoe read a poem, "This Far So Soon".

Mrs. Percy McMullen gave a paper on "The Story of Thanksgiving" and said in part: "Thanksgiving to God for blessings received has its beginning with the ancient Jews. The Greeks and Romans also observed the day and during the reign of Queen Elizabeth, Old England enjoyed a Harvest Home Festival. In 1621, the Pilgrim Fathers set aside a time of Thanksgiving in the Plymouth Colony. Soon Thanksgiving spread to other colonies but it was not nationally observed until President Lincoln issued a proclamation setting aside the last Thursday in November. The idea spread to Canada and each year the date is fixed by the government."

She read the date-fixing document for October 11th, 1948, which read like a psalm. As Institute members are we thankful for this country of ours with its fertile fields, orchards, gardens, flowers, hills, valleys, streams, sunshine, abundance and variety of our food, for our comforts of everyday living. We should be thankful for both material things and for life itself, for all those folk who toil in other lands that we may be benefitted, and for all our blessings in disguise, which teach us how to live. The psalmist has said, "Oh that men and women would praise the Lord for His goodness", and surely we in Canada have a great deal for which to be thankful in Thanksgiving Day, 1948.

Mrs. Percy Utman demonstrated "an edible centerpiece" with cabbage. A contest, The Best Menu for Thanksgiving Meal, was won by Mrs. R. Dobson.

The hostesses and lunch committee served refreshments. Votes of thanks were tendered for hospitality and programme.

St. Paul's Young People's

The regular meeting of St. Paul's Young People was held in the Sunday School rooms on Tuesday, October 12th.

The meeting opened with a Worship Service based on Thanksgiving and led by the Fellowship convener, Georgina Huffman. The president, Glen Bush, conducted a short business period. Rev. Barker conducted the installation of officers.

The Christian Culture convener, Harold Hagerman had charge of the programme, which consisted of records on the "Nut Cracker Suite".

Helen Stapley had charge of recreation and the meeting closed with the Friendship Circle.

Strawberries In October

A number of strawberries were picked in his garden on Tuesday by Bob Patterson, local merchant. There are still a goodly number of green berries on the plants, according to Mr. Patterson, and if the mild weather continues, he hopes to enjoy more of this delicious fruit.

Milk Report

The monthly report from the Ontario Department of Health on the milk supplied by Stirling Dairy is as follows:

B. Coll count 0; standard plate count, 4,500; per cent. Butter Fat, 3.35; phosphatase test, A.

Robert Fanning Weds Lois Craig

In Westboro United Church at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, October 5th, the Rev. Dr. A. P. Menzies solemnized the marriage of Miss Lois Craig, daughter of Mr. Craig, of Ottawa, and the late Mr. J. H. Craig, to Mr. Robert Frederick Fanning, of Toronto, son of Mrs. Fanning, of Stirling, and the late J. W. Fanning.

Mrs. R. M. Frayne played the wedding music and Miss Marion Clarkson sang the "Lord's Prayer" during the signing of the register. Given in marriage by Rev. F. J. Vowles, the bride was attended by Miss Marion Dudley as bridesmaid. Mr. Robert Jackman was best man and Mr. Frank Coldham ushered.

Following the reception held at the Orange Lantern Inn, Mr. and Mrs. Fanning left on a motor trip. They will reside in Toronto.

The out-of-town guests were Mrs. J. W. Fanning, Stirling; Miss Kathleen Fanning and Mr. Robert Jackman, of Toronto.

Stirling Wins Over Tweed

Stirling High School rugby squad completely outclassed Tweed on the latter's campus on Thursday afternoon last to win easily by a score of 27 to 0. The locals lost the services of J. Reid, backfielder, in the first half, when he sustained a fractured ankle.

The next home game for the local squad will be played tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at the Fair Grounds when Marmora will be the visitors.

St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid

The ladies of St. Andrew's met in the Church Parlours on Thursday last for their regular meeting. The President, Mrs. Agnes Hammond, conducted the devotional period, opening with the hymn, "Come Ye Thankful People Come." Mrs. R. Hermiston read from Galatians 6: verses 1 to 9 and led in prayer. There was a lengthy business session and it was decided to hold an Anniversary supper. Hymn 599, "O God of Bethel," was followed by a reading, "In The Garden of The Manse," by Edna Jacques given by Gena Spry. Mrs. Vernon Matthews delighted all with a piano solo "Autumn".

Mrs. Ken Ray gave the topic "Storage Hints". This was a very interesting and educational address on the storage of bulbs, geraniums, vegetables and apples and canned fruits. The meeting closed with the hymn "Come Let Us Sing of a Wonderful Love", and all repeated the Mizpah benediction.

A lovely lunch was served by the committee in charge, Mrs. Cameron Montgomery, Mrs. A. McGee, Mrs. Jackman and Mrs. O. Clapper. A hearty vote of thanks was moved to all who had helped to make the meeting an enjoyable one.

HON. T. L. KENNEDY TO SUCCEED DREW AS ONT. PREMIER

Hon. T. L. Kennedy will take over as premier of Ontario in succession to Premier Drew who is retiring to take up his post as national leader of the Progressive Conservative party, a caucus of Progressive Conservative members of the Ontario Legislature decided Wednesday.

Premier Drew made the announcement at the conclusion of the caucus which also recommended that a convention be held at the earliest possible date to choose a provincial leader of the party.

Mr. Drew emphasized that the decision of the caucus was unanimous. He said also that Col. Kennedy, minister of agriculture and member for Peel constituency, near Toronto, told the caucus that he would not be a candidate for the leadership at the convention.

In Hospital

Mrs. Victor Taylor, Rawdon Township, is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Caldwell spent the week end in Toronto.

Mrs. L. B. Windsor, of Haliburton, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden.

Miss Marion Gravers, of Toronto, spent the holiday at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Macklin spent the week end in Cobourg.

Miss Katherine Wright, of Toronto, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright.

Mrs. S. W. Lloyd, of Sidney, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bailey.

Mr. E. Hounslow, of Kingston, was a recent week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wannamaker.

Miss Shirley Ormiston, of Toronto, was a guest of Mrs. H. Ingram over the week end.

Mrs. S. Holden spent the week end in Napanee with her son, Mr. Howard Holden and Mrs. Holden.

Miss Jean McIntosh, of Toronto, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Craven, of Ridgeway, Ont., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Belshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Munro spent the week end and holiday visiting relatives in Ottawa.

Mr. Charles Forestell, of Sudbury, visited with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wannamaker spent a week recently with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zufelt, of Harwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linn, of Montreal, visited the former's mother, Mrs. C. F. Linn, over the week end.

Mr. Keith Scott, of Ottawa, was a guest on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bailey.

Miss Barbara Brazill, of Toronto, spent the week end with Miss Arline Tummon.

Robert Elliott, of Toronto University, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Good and family spent the week end with relatives in Lanark.

Mrs. Earl Croft, of Woodstock, is a guest this week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. McKee.

Fred Eggleton, University of Toronto, spent the week end at his home here.

Miss Beverly Prince, of Toronto, spent the Thanksgiving week end with her sister, Mrs. Grant Stapley.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Parker, of Peterborough, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Stinson.

Miss Phyllis David, of Whiby, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. David.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hough, of Omamee, spent the week end with the latter's mother, Mrs. C. F. Linn.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dunham and Mr. Wm. Dunn, of Toronto, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bastedo.

Minor Hockey Club Reorganized

Enthusiastic Meeting Was Held In The Agricultural Office on Tuesday Evening

An enthusiastic meeting for the organization of Minor Hockey — Juvenile, and Bantam — in Stirling was held in the Agricultural Office on Tuesday evening. Percy Utman acted as chairman and some forty were in attendance.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Bert Bastedo;
Vice-President, Sam McCrory;
Sec.-Treas., R. Bruce Bell;
Executive Com., coach and manager of Juvenile and Bantam teams;
Juvenile Mgr., Ross Hermiston;
Juvenile Coach, Bob Dobson
Juvenile Asst. Coach, Fred Pepper-

all;

Bantam Mgr., Ralph Utman;

Bantam Coach, Douglas Patterson.

Mr. S. McCrory, local contractor, offered to supply sweaters for the Juvenile team and was accorded a hearty vote of thanks for his generous offer.

Local Hunters Shoot Wolf

A party of Stirling hunters, Messrs. Walter and Jimmy Wright, Fred Eggleton and R. Bruce Bell, bagged a wolf while hunting in the Minto district on Monday morning. Forced into the open by the hounds, the wolf was severely wounded by Bruce Bell's first shot and took refuge in a clump of sumachs, where Fred Eggleton finished him off. The varmint measured 5 ft. in length and weighed approximately 50 lbs.

Fractures Ankle

Jack Reid, backfielder on the Stirling High School rugby squad, suffered a fractured ankle in a game between Stirling and Tweed High Schools, on the latter's campus on Thursday afternoon last. The injured lad was given first aid by a Tweed doctor and later Principal J. L. Good took him to Belleville Hospital where the ankle was placed in a cast.

To Make His Official Visit

Rt. Wor. Bro. S. C. Wood, District Deputy Grand Master of Prince Edward District, will make his official visit to Stirling Lodge, No. 69, A.F. & A.M., on Thursday evening next, October 21st. A banquet will be served by the Ladies' Association of St. Paul's United Church in the Community Hall at 7 p.m., following which a regular communication of the Craft will take place in the Masonic Hall.

A large attendance of Masons from the surrounding district is anticipated to do honour to the representative of the Grand Master.

Searles-Lynch Nuptials Saturday

A very pretty Autumn wedding was solemnized in Bridge Street United Church, Belleville, Saturday, Oct. 9th, when Bette Marie Lynch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lynch, became the bride of Mr. Garnet B. Searles, only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Searles, Oak Lake. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Donald Amos, against a background of ferns and tall ivory tapers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was very lovely in a period gown of ivory brocade satin with molded bodice, long, tight fitting sleeves and full hoop skirt with cascades of Duchess lace, and pearls. Her long veil was held with a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of American Beauty roses.

Her sister, Mrs. Walter Nezvitsky, of Montreal, as matron of honor, wore a floor length gown of apple green nylon over peach taffeta with matching Dutch bonnet. She carried a nosegay of Talisman roses and baby mums.

The bridesmaids, Mrs. Ronald Lynch and Mrs. Wm. Rodberg, wore gowns similarly styled of brocade satin and net in yellow and orchid and carried nosegays of Autumn tones.

Mr. Ronald Lynch acted as best man and the ushers were Mr. Wm. Clare and Mr. Russell Mariette.

Mr. Alec Gordon presided at the organ while Mr. J. D. Bankier sang "O Promise Me" and "Because". Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Dutch Mill Inn. The bride's mother received in a gown of dove grey crepe with black accessories and corsage of red roses. The groom's mother, assisting, wore a gown of black crepe with grey accessories and corsage of pink roses.

For travelling, the bride chose a suit of Victorian wine gabardine with black hat and accessories and wore a corsage of white baby mums. On their return from a motor trip through New York State the couple will reside at Oak Lake.

Out-of-town guests were from Montreal, Toronto, Watertown, N.Y., Clayton, N.Y., Newcastle, Merriton and Haliburton.

Rebekah Lodge Officers Installed

District Deputy Pres. Sis. E. Duffin Installing Officer In Impressive Ceremony

The installation and investiture of the officers of Laurel Rebekah Lodge took place in the lodge room on Tuesday evening with a good attendance of members, including a number of visitors from Peterborough.

Sister Elhel Duffin, District Deputy President of District No. 30, was the installing officer and carried out her duties in a most impressive manner, assisted by Deputy Marshal Sis. Annie Warren, Deputy Herald Sis. Marion Wells, Deputy Warden Sis. Evelyn Bailey, Deputy R. Secretary, Sis. Edith Bradshaw, Deputy F. Secretary Sis. Gladys Elliott, Deputy Treasurer Sis. Edith Utman, Deputy Chaplain Sis. Effie Bailey, Deputy I. Guard Sis. Mabel Megginson, Deputy O. Guard Sis. Florence Maynes.

Sister Aileen Vanderwater acted as musician throughout the ceremony, while Sisters Cora Eggleton and Gwyn Farage sang three duets, "My Task", "The Lord's Prayer" and "The Spread of The Order".

The District Deputy President, who was introduced by Sister Edith Bradshaw, was welcomed by the N.G. Sis. Edna Fox and a number of the members sang "How Do You Do?".

The guard of honor were Sis. Marion Heath, Sis. Laura Brown, Sis. Evelyn Finkle, Sis. Edna Fox, Sis. Bessie Patterson and Sis. Winnifred Stinson.

Following are the officers: J.P.N.G., Sister Edna Fox; N.G., Sis. Marion Heath; V.G., Sis. Laura Shortt; R.S., Sis. Mildred Morrow; F.S., Sis. Gena Spry; Treas., Sis. Lydia McKee; Warden, Sis. Marion Wells; Conductor, Sis. Bessie Patterson; Chaplain, Sis. Hazel Munby; R.S.N.G., Sis. Evelyn Bailey; L.S.N.G., Sis. Thelma Ketcheson; R.S.V.G., Sis. Evelyn Finkle; L.S.V.G., Sis. Lela Belcour; I.G., Sis. Laura Brown; O.G., Sis. Debbie Brown; Pianist, Sis. Betty Wellman. During the evening, Sister Helen Williams read an address to Sister E. Duffin, D.D.P., and Sis. Bessie Rodgers made the presentation of a parasol on behalf of the Lodge.

The retiring Noble Grand, Sis. Edna Fox, was also presented with a Past Grand's Jewel and voiced her appreciation to the officers and members for their co-operation and support throughout the past year, also for the jewel.

Following the installation, lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed.

Ivanhoe Postmaster Receives Long Service Badge

Ivanhoe—The many friends of Mr. T. E. Fleming, who has rendered forty-one years as postmaster at Ivanhoe, extend to him their sincere congratulations upon the receipt of his Long Service Badge, which was forwarded recently, with a complimentary letter from Mr. A. M. Gibson, Regional Director, on behalf of Mr. J. W. Turnbull, Postmaster General who has authorized the presentation of Long Service Badges to postmasters at revenue post offices who have 25 years or more of service to their credit, as of April 1st, 1948.

The people of Ivanhoe community share in the honor extended to Mr. Fleming, who also delivers the rural mail and they extend to his sister, Miss Annie Fleming, also their hearty thanks and grateful appreciation for their willing and kindly service to the people.

- Coming Events -

HOME COOKING SALE, AUSPICES I.O.D.E., at Sager's Restaurant, at 2.30 p.m. on Saturday, October 16th.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Anniversary Dinner, Tuesday, October 26th, at 6.30 p.m. 52-1

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14th, 1948

Rawdon Council

The Rawdon Township Council met on October 4th, with Reeve Morrison and Councillors all present. On motion of Councillors Bailey and

Heath, Charles Gordanier was paid \$75 bounty on three wolves killed in the Township.

The tax collector was paid \$75.00 balance of his salary for the year on motion of Councillors Bateman and W.

Spencer.

Henry Wilman was paid \$25.00 bounty for killing a bear in the township on motion of Councillors Bailey and Bateman.

Court of Revision

The Council having been sworn as a Court of Revision considered the following appeals against the assessment:

(1) William Fleming — No action taken.

(2) Several appeals were tabled on the assessment on lots at Crowe River — No action taken.

On motion of Councillors Spencer and Heath the Clerk was authorized to correct all clerical errors.

Council resumed general business and on motion of Spencer and Bailey, the payment of \$7.29 to the Hydro for arrears for 1947 on the property of J. R. Wilson was authorized.

Heath-Bateman — That the following bills be paid for spraying: Arnold Ray \$59.80; K. Vanhorne \$50.40; W. A. Sutherland \$10.50; H. Mumby \$4.40; and Stirling Welding \$1.25.

Bateman-Spencer — That Voucher No. 9 for Township of Rawdon for \$1,704.70 be paid.

Heath-Bateman — That the County Treasurer be paid \$54.50 being the Township's share of hospital account for Mrs. E. Cartwright.

Bailey-Bateman — That Robert Scarlett be paid \$10.00 for attending Court of Revision and extra work on assessment.

Spencer-Heath — That Stanley McInroy be paid \$7.50 for 50 rods of wire fence built along roadside.

Spencer-Bateman — That Reeve Morrison be appointed to interview Township Solicitor in regards to Orval Maxwell case.

Heath-Bateman — That Road Superintendent be appointed to investigate side road between the 10th and 11th Concessions at the Reid property with power to act on arrangements made.

Bateman-Bailey — That the Council as a whole go into committee on by-laws.

Bylaw No. 702 was passed appointing Lindsay Pollock as tax collector for the year 1948-1949.

Heath-Bailey — That Council revert to general business.

Heath-Spencer — That Council adjourn to meet Monday, Nov. 1st, at 1.30 p.m.

LATE CHARLES LLOYD (Holloway)

On Friday afternoon the funeral of Charles Lloyd, late residence Holloway, was held from the Belleville Company Funeral Home, Campbell Street. The service in the chapel and at Plainfield cemetery, was conducted by the Rev. A. Campbell.

The bearers were Clarence Platt, Clarence Foxton, Frank Howard, James Hamilton, Fred Gray and Fred Ellis.

District News

Col. Vanderwater's Reforestation Project Thriving After 24 Yrs.

Fifteen thousand red, white and Scotch pine trees were planted by Col. Roscoe Vanderwater in 1924 on a farm near Foxboro, Hastings County, Ont.

Today 15,850 of the trees are thriving. The average diameter of the pines is 10 inches and the average height, 45 feet.

The reforestation project was made on a hillside, subject to erosion and too steep for cultivation. Planting was carried out as the frost was leaving the ground and the usual farm help and a few neighbours were enlisted in the job because other work was not pressing.

Besides the steady growth which has given years of satisfaction in watching, the once barren and dusty hillside has become a thing of beauty and an excellent wind-break. Col. Vanderwater urges other farmers to lose no time in reforestation enterprises of their own, and so increase not only the beauty, but the value of their farms by planting young trees, which can be secured without cost, on otherwise useless and unsightly acres.

Such projects are exempt also from municipal taxes up to 10 per cent of any farm holding; the maximum exemption, 20 acres to one person. Plots however, must not be pastured. If they are, the trees will not thrive and the exemption does not apply.

Entered Into Rest

MRS. ISABELLA JEFFREY

Mrs. Isabella Jeffrey widow of Robert J. Jeffrey, died at her home at West Huntingdon, early Saturday morning after an illness of about six weeks' duration.

Born in Glendinning, Ireland, the late Mrs. Jeffrey was in her 81st year, and was a daughter of the late James Brown and his wife, the late Mary Stack. She came to Canada with her parents when about three years of age. For a time she lived in Toronto and for the past fifty years she resided at West Huntingdon. She was a member of the United Church.

Surviving her are one daughter, Mrs. Burrows (Bessie) Jordan, Belleville; two sons, John and Clarence, both on the homestead at West Huntingdon; one grandchild.

The funeral was held at her late residence at 2 p.m. on Monday.

Entombment in Belleville Mausoleum.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon from her late residence at West Huntingdon and the service there and at the mausoleum in Belleville, where entombment took place, was conducted by Rev. Harold Burgess. During the service in the home a vocal solo was rendered by Mrs. W. J. Fitchett.

The bearers were George Cooke, Frank Ashley, Harry Thompson, Melville Donnan, Clifford Green and Arthur Wilson. The floral tributes were beautiful and many in number.

ROBERT GARNET MAYBEE

Funeral service for the late Robert Garnet Maybee, 72, of Campbellford, was held on Monday afternoon from the family residence. The Rev. G. W. Maxwell, of Campbellford United Church, officiated and pallbearers were Fred Smith, Fred Peake, Bud Davidson, Harry Townsend, Harry MacPaul and Grant Anderson. Burial was at Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Mr. Maybee died suddenly on Friday. He was born at Wellman's in Rawdon township and was a well-known cheese maker for 34 years. He moved into Campbellford to live after his retirement and was a member of the United Church. He leaves his wife, the former Susan Thompson and one son, Douglas, both of Campbellford.

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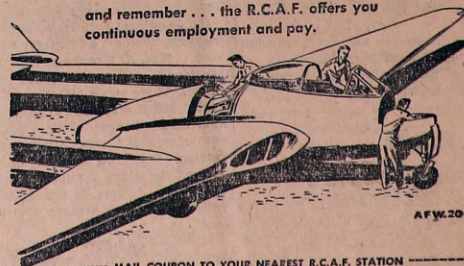
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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

CLEAN UP GARDENS NOW—FOR SPRING

Now is the time of year to clean up the garden, for it is the time when many insects are looking around for suitable spots in which to spend the winter.

Many of the most injurious species of insects pass the winter adhering to plants on which they were feeding when cold weather arrived, others crawl beneath piles of plant refuse and hibernate there throughout the winter. A few work their way down into the layer of dead organic matter. All such insects should be looked up-

on as a menace to next year's garden, for a large proportion will survive the winter and attack the growing plants in the spring.

A general fall clean-up will mean a better garden next year. All standing crop remnants should be pulled and burned. Crop refuse lying on the ground should be raked up and destroyed. It is advisable where practicable to burn over waste land surrounding the garden to kill any eggs of hibernating insects.

Insect egg masses or cocoons are often found in shrubs and low trees, or even on fences, garden furniture, outbuildings or houses. Cleaning

these up in the autumn will prevent them causing trouble next spring. Digging or plowing the garden in the fall will expose many of the insects in the soil, which will be killed by the severe cold in the winter.

COMMITTEE INSPECT HYBRID CORN PLOTS

An inspection party of 40 corn growers, dealers and government plant breeders recently toured Ontario's corn growing areas for four days to examine trial plots of new hybrids. Members of the Ontario Corn Committee, the group saw for itself how the new varieties of corn are thriving in the varying soils and climate of the province. Later, when the test plots are harvested, weighed and analysed, the committee at its December annual meeting will make definite recommendations on the suitability of the new hybrids in different regions.

Hybrids form about 95 per cent of this year's Ontario husking corn crop which promises to be a bumper one.

CORN HYBRIDS IN THE MAKING

An intensive program of selection, inbreeding and cross breeding of corn is carried on annually at the Dominion Experimental Station at Harrow, Ont., with the sole object of producing superior hybrids that will be adapted to the various soil and climatic areas of Ontario. Indeed, "Corn Hybrids in the Making" is a true expression of the activities at the Harrow Station each July and August says G. F. Buckley Senior, Assistant in forage crop work.

The breeding program consists of isolating inbred lines and combining them into successful hybrids. This involves four major steps; the establishment of inbred lines; the making of single crosses; the making of double-crosses; and the thorough testing of the double-crosses.

Inbred lines are extracted from open-pollinated varieties or strains and also from single and double cross material. Selected plants are inbred and the new lines are self-pollinated for five or six generations after which time they become practically stable. During this stabilizing period rigid selection and testing is carried on so that only the best inbred lines survive for cross purposes.

The stable inbred lines are placed in groups of nine or ten and all possible single-cross combinations are made within each group. The single-crosses are then thoroughly tested and only the best are used in making the double-cross hybrids.

The third step is the making of the double-crosses. Here the single-crosses are crossed in as many ways as possible to determine the best double-cross combinations. The double-cross seed is the material used by the farmer to produce his crop of hybrid corn. The final step is testing of the new double-cross hybrids. These are tested along with the best commercial hybrids for at least two years and in several districts in Ontario. The outstanding experimental hybrids are then ready for commercial production.

Thus it will be seen that at least ten years are required to produce a new hybrid—six years of inbreeding to stabilize the lines two years for making the single and double-crosses and at least two years for testing the hybrids. During this period the plant breeder studies his material closely and eliminates all but the best.

IRRIGATION AIDS CANADA'S RESOURCES

Irrigation on the Canadian prairies dates back more than 70 years when a settler named John Glen diverted water from Fish Creek eight miles south of Calgary to irrigate 15 to 20 acres of native hay meadow. The works apparently were built without engineering help, but this project served nevertheless to demonstrate the value of irrigation. During the years that followed, numerous small projects were developed throughout southern Alberta by ranchers and farmers, mainly for growing winter feed.

The first large irrigation project, says W. L. Jacobson, Head of Irrigation Investigations, Experimental Farms Service, was put into operation in the Alberta territory in 1901 when a canal was completed to divert water from the St. Mary river near the International Boundary, and carry it to the Lethbridge area.

Other large developments were undertaken at Strathmore, Brooks, and Vauxhall but development including both construction and settlement, were interrupted by World War I. Some further construction took place during the twenties when the Lethbridge Northern, Mountain View, and United Irrigation projects were developed. By 1930 more than 508,000 acres of land were served by irrigation from large projects in Southern Alberta.

The prolonged drought of the thir-

ties gave added impetus to irrigation expansion, and with the growing need for farm land and living space there is now a heavy demand for more irrigated land.

To meet this need the Dominion Government through P.F.R.A. and in co-operation with the Province of Alberta, has now under construction, or is planning works to greatly increase the irrigated areas of Alberta.

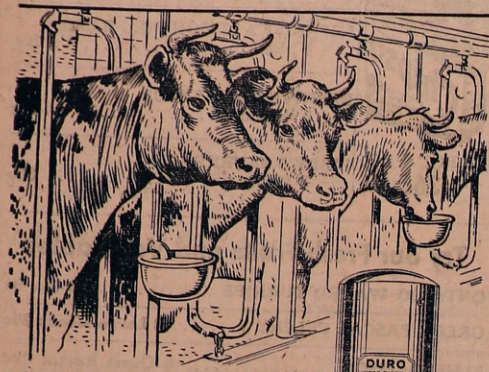
The first of these developments, the extension of the St. Mary project and the St. Mary river dam, which is the key structure and main storage in this system, is now under construction. This dam, it is expected, will be completed before the end of 1950, and will contain 5 million cubic yards of earth gravel and rock. It will be 186 feet high and provide live storage for 285,000 acre feet of water. Additional storage reservoirs and canals will be built to provide water to areas of land suitable for irrigation lying between the Lethbridge area and Medicine Hat.

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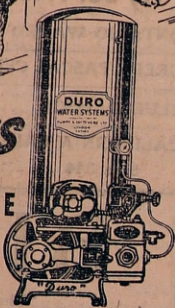
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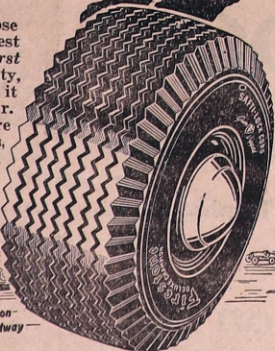
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11.00 a.m.—Wellman's
2.30 p.m.—Bethel
7.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant
All appointments will have Thanks-
giving Services.

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Sunday, October 17th, 1948
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.—Anniversary
Services, Guest Speaker, Rev. A. M.
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GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, October 17th, 1948

10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2 p.m.—Gospel Bella Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and
Bible Study

Speaker:
James Gibson, London

Mrs. Burness Demorest and Adrian
were guests at the reception Saturday
evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
John Crowe, Picton, in honour of
their son, Raymond, and his bride.
Mr. and Mrs. Merle Todd, Jean and
Richard, of Toronto, spent Thanks-
giving week end with Mr. and Mrs.
Edward Todd and Angus Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, of Oshawa,
visited Monday with Miss Della John-
ston and her father.

Miss Loretta Ryan and Miss June
Dunham, of Belleville, spent the week
end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dun-
ham, Doris and Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart and
Tommy, of Bethel, spent Sunday even-
ing with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham
and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen, of
Kenmore, N.Y., visited recently at the
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
George Watson and boys.

Mrs. W. B. Totton, Mr. Arthur Mc-
Adam, Mr. Blake McAdam, Mr. and
Mrs. James Totton, Robert and Lor-
ena, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald
Bristol, Barbara and Maribeth, of
Belleville were guests on Thanksgiving
Sunday at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. John Rainie, James and Miss
Emma Rainie.

Miss Annie Cook spent the week
end at the home of her sister, Mrs.
Omar Dracup, Mr. Dracup and family.
Mr. Jack Hutcheon, of Toronto,
spent the week end and holiday at
his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Dracup, Joan,
Wayne and Sharon, of Lakefield, and
Miss Mina Dracup, of Peterborough,
spent the week end at the home of
their mother, Mrs. Walter Dracup.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Maybee and
Master Ronnie, of Belleville, were
Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max-
well Embury and family.

Mount Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine and
Doris spent Thanksgiving Sunday in
Kingston with Mr. and Mrs. Earle
Rutton and Miss Marie Rutton ac-
companied them home.

Several folk attended Madoc Fair
last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Clements and
Roy were recent guests of Mr. and
Mrs. John Mulhern.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sweeting, of Tor-
onto, were guests over the holiday
of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. Grant Hubble is spending some
time with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and
Mrs. Herman Tucker, of Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen
spent Thanksgiving Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery, Colborne.
Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Nel-
son Montgomery and Bobby, of Ajax,
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davies and Earl of
Cobourg, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl
Montgomery, of Batawa.

Mrs. Albert Dunkley and Mr. Earl
Dunkley spent Thanksgiving Sunday
at Coe Hill and enjoyed a family din-
ner party at the cottage.

On Sunday afternoon at Mount
Pleasant the service was held in the
church with over forty visitors in at-

tendance. Twenty folk from the
Church of All Nations, Toronto, were
present and one of the party delig-
ed with two musical number on his
cello, accompanied on the piano by
Mrs. Vacilavik. The cello is over two
hundred years old. The group from
Toronto arrived on Sunday morning
and remained over the holiday when
all enjoyed Thanksgiving together at
the Rawdon parsonage.

Mrs. Bailey Turner spent a few
days last week in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunkley and
David, Campbellford, Mr. and Mrs.
Percy Martin and Douglas, Toronto,
Mr. and Mrs. George Wickens and
Keith, Glen Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A.
Lawrence, Oshawa, spent Thanks-
giving with Mrs. Albert Dunkley and
Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy White, Brant-
ford, spent Thanksgiving with Mr.
and Mrs. Ernest White.

Miss Mamie Gollan, of the Church
of All Nations, is speaking at Mount
Pleasant Sunday School on Sunday
morning and on Monday evening, Octo-
ber 18th. She will address a Youth
Rally in Bridge street, Belleville. All
young people in the circuit are spe-
cially invited to attend the Rally.

Madoc Junction

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Clarke and
baby spent Sunday visiting friends at
Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nelson attend-
ed Salem Anniversary Service Sunday
and were dinner guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Murney Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley ac-
companied by Mr. and Mrs. Garnet
Stapley of Trenton, spent the week
end in Hamilton attending the Breth-
ren Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brydes, Tommy
and Paul spent the holiday week end
with relatives at Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kelly, Billy and
Wayne, spent Thanksgiving with Mr.
and Mrs. Warren Harlow.

Mrs. George Nelson, of Warkworth
spent Sunday at the home of her
father, Mr. George McMullen and the
tea hour with Mr. and Mrs. George
Cooke, of West Huntingdon.

Mr. Fred Haight, of Toronto, spent
the dinner hour on Sunday at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond
Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen were
week end guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Wallace McIntroy, of Moira, and attend-
ed Anniversary Services.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nelson were
dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon
Cotton, of Belleville, on Thanksgiving.
Miss Gladys Dickson, of Ottawa,
was a guest over the holiday week
end of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reid.

Miss H. Chambers, Miss M. Cham-
bers, Mesdames Hugh McMullen, H.
Clarke and W. Harlow attended
W.M.S. dinner at West Huntingdon
last Thursday. The former three took
part in the programme.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid and fam-
ily spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
John Lawrenson, of Plainfield.

West Huntingdon

Miss Joan McCurdy, of Peterboro
Normal School, spent the Thanksgiv-
ing Holiday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lowe, Peter and
Jeff, of Toronto, were week end
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Fargey.

Mrs. Peter McIntroy left on Friday
to spend some time with her daugh-
ter, Mrs. Mae Longwell of Port Col-
borne.

Mr. Donald Wilson, Guelph, spent
the Thanksgiving holiday with Mr.
Foster Wilson and Glen.

Messrs. John and Clarence Jeffrey
were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.

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Rev. Swayne, of Napanee, was the
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welcomed back, having been gone
from this circuit for twenty-four
years. Rev. and Mrs. Swayne were
entertained at the homes of Mr. and
Mrs. Ernest Saries and Mr. and Mrs.
Wm. Johnson.

Miss Beverly Morgan, of Stirling,
spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs.
Lindsay Tanner. Miss Eleanore Mc-
Gee visited Beverly on Monday
afternoon.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. John B. Hagerman were Mr.
and Mrs. Wilbur Bateman and boys,
of Tweed, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMas-
ter and family, of Ivanhoe and Mr.
and Mrs. Ken Belcourt and family of
Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Mumby, Mr. and
Mrs. Lindsay Tanner, Mrs. Morgan
and Miss Beverly Morgan were visit-
ors on Sunday at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Albert Tweedle.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mumby enter-
tained Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Mumby
and Mariel and Mr. and Mrs. Reg.
McKeown and Billy, of Springbrook,
on Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Er-
nest Saries were Rev. and Mrs. Ever-
son, Mrs. Waller and Mrs. Hogle, of
Trenton, Mr. Tom Solmes, of Stirling,
and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson and
Barbara, of Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Donald, of
Campbellford, visited Mr. and Mrs.
Wm. Donald, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson and Mr.
and Mrs. Murney Johnston entertain-
ed on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Will
Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw and
Wayne, of Ivanhoe, and Mr. and Mrs.
Gordon Nelson, of Stirling.

The Bedell family held a reunion
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Be-
dell on Sunday. Those present were
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bedell and Idella,
of Sault Ste Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Ce-
cil Bedell and family, of Campbell-
ford and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Johnson,
of Belleville.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs.
Orval Jackson were Mr. and Mrs. Will
Downey, of Crookston and Mrs. Joe
Rollins of Ivanhoe.

Miss Helen Clements, of Toronto,
spent the week end with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clements.

Guests on Sunday at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sine were Mr.
and Mrs. Percy Holland, of Madoc and
Mr. and Mrs. Durwood McCoy, of
Hazards.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood, Mr. and
Mrs. George Wood, Jackie and Judy,
of Ivanhoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie
Thompson were dinner guests on Sun-
day of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Saries.

Mrs. Andrew Heagle and Mildred,
Mr. Clifford Heagle, of Hards, and
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Batt, of Belleville
were Sunday guests on Sunday of
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Heagle.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hagerman,
Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright and Mr.
Wm. Hagerman, also Mr. Arthur
Hagerman attended the Saries-Lynch
wedding which took place at Bridge
St. United Church, Belleville, on Sat-
urday.

Wellmans

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McAlpine,
Ralph and Jean, of Allan's Mills, visit-
ed Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs.
George Haggerty and Marlene.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Graham, of
Harwood, visited Wednesday with Mr.
and Mrs. Victor Graham and family.

Mrs. Hubert Andrews, Linda and
Donald, of Bonarlaw, spent Tuesday
with her mother, Mrs. Russell John-
son.

Mr. Roy Sharp, of Kingston, spent
the week end at the home of his
father, Mr. Clifford Sharp, Mabel and
Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. John King, Mary and
Jack and Mr. Art Wells, of Peterbor-
ough, spent the week end and holiday
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred
King, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and
Yvonne.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Andrews and
Ralph, of Peterborough, spent the
week end and holiday with her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jackman.

Week end and Sunday visitors at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor
Graham were Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Macklin, Gordon and Sharon, of Pe-
terborough, Mrs. Harold McCracken,
of Roseneath, Mrs. Vera Pearson, of
Hamilton and Mr. Milford Macklin,
of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sine, Mr. and

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Bethel

Miss Thelma McMullen, of Belle-
ville, was a week end guest of her
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Miss Fairlie and Mary Ellen War-
ren, of Stirling were visitors of their
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James
Warren, for a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sine, Mr. and
Mrs. Will Wannamaker, of Toronto,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tummon, Pa-
tricia and Clark, of Foxboro, were Sun-
day guests of the latter's sister, Mrs.
Mrs. C. M. Sine. Mrs. Rebecca Sine
Mr. James Kirkey, of Peterborough,
and Mr. Earl Kirkey, of Toronto,
spent the week end at the home of
their father, Mr. Sam Kirkey.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Walter Warren were Mr.
and Mrs. Armand Bailey and Sandra,
of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. James War-
ren, also Mr. Art Southworth and
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Warren, Frank-
ford.

A number from Bethel attended the
Salem Anniversary on Sunday. Rev.
Swayne, of Napanee, was the guest
preacher.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Elliott were
Wednesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Morrow and Linda Ann, of
River Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Thompson, of
Belleville were Sunday evening visit-
ors of Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson,
Allen and Patricia.

Miss Doris Wales and Mr. Lorne
Kirkey, of Toronto, were week end
guests of the latter's sister, Mrs.
Henry Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Thompson, of
Stirling, were recent callers of Mr.
and Mrs. James Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wannamaker were
dinner guests on Monday of Mr. and
Mrs. S. M. Sine. Mrs. Rebecca Sine
accompanied them home to Toronto
to spend a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Amund Bailey and
Sandra, of Toronto, were week end
guests of Mr. and Mrs. James War-
ren.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan McComb, of
Bonarlaw, spent Thursday with Mr.
and Mrs. Don Thompson, Allen and
Patricia.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dollittle, of
Toronto were Sunday visitors of Mr.
and Mrs. C. M. Sine.

Mrs. Norman Allan, of Kenmore,
New York, is visiting her sister, Mrs.
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holiday at their homes at Cobourg and Deseronto respectively.

Mrs. Clifford Spry, of Madoc, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Lough.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wells and Shirley visited Mr. Ed Wells at Hastings on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mason, Lois and Lynn, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ketcheson, Brighton, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell White and family, of Toronto, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. White.

Mrs. Granville McKeljohn entertained a number of little folk on Friday afternoon in honor of Linda, who celebrated her third birthday and Lois Lough, who celebrated her fourth birthday.

Mrs. Joe McEwen, of Belleville, is spending a few days with Mrs. Elizabeth Green.

Mrs. John Forsyth is spending some time with relatives at Sudbury and North Bay.

The Junior Bible Class held a very successful pot luck supper and white elephant sale at the parsonage on Friday evening.

River Valley

Mr. Richard Chard spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chard.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burkitt and Helen, and Sandra Chambers were the Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Thompson, Stirling, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Chard, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Rosebush spent the week-end with Miss Flossie and Mr. Ernest Rosebush.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Roy Bush, who is in the Kingston Hospital, is gaining nicely.

A pot-luck dinner and quilting was held at the home of Mrs. Edward Kent on Wednesday by the River Valley Women's Institute.

Mrs. Marjorie Bush spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Asselstine, Frankford.

Messrs. Frank and Jack Sager, Kenneth and John, also Mr. John Kane and Douglas attended the Plowing Match held at Lindsay on Tuesday.

St. Paul's W.M.S.

Mrs. George Pollard was hostess to the ladies of St. Paul's W.M.S. Tuesday afternoon of this week. President Mrs. E. G. Bailey conducted the opening exercises and presided during the business period. The various secretaries reported for their departments and Mrs. R. Stapley was appointed Missionary Monthly secretary. Mrs. J. B. Thompson gave the Treasurer's report.

The afternoon's programme was under the direction of Mrs. Robert Christie and was opened by a brief worship service. Miss Mildred White read the Scripture passage and Mrs. G. Megginson offered prayer.

Mrs. Christie gave a paper on the World Council of Churches, which came into existence in August of this year.

The Council was held in the Cathedral of Holland at Amsterdam, and was made up of 1450 representative church leaders from 145 churches and from 40 countries. The achievement of this Council cannot be measured in things done. It lies in the hope for the future. Prejudices were broken down, mutual understanding arrived at and the unity of the church experienced and acknowledged. Truly the way has been paved for a United Protestantism, which is unique in the history of religion.

Mrs. C. Macklin described the Communion Service held at the Council when Christians from nearly every country in the world partook of the sacred element. Mrs. J. B. Thompson read the Message of Greeting sent out from the World Council. A solo, "The World Must Be Conquered for Christ" was sung effectively by Mrs. Harold West.

The first Chapter of our new Study Book on China was given by Mrs. A. Armstrong, assisted by a number of the members. This chapter gave the Life History of Margaret Li, whose family were Buddhists, but who through the influence of Dr. Hartwell was baptized at an early age in the Christian faith, and today is a teacher and evangelist leader in her native province of Szechwan.

A hymn and the repeating of the mizpah benediction brought the meeting to a close and the members were then served a delicious lunch by the committee in charge. The members were very grateful to Mrs. Pollard and the committee for a splendid program and for the hospitality extended them.

SCHOOL BUS DITCHED
20 CHILDREN ABOARD

One girl received cut knee and about 20 other school children were shaken up when a school bus plunged into a ditch late on Tuesday afternoon 21 miles from Coe Hill.

St. Andrew's W.M.S.

The October meeting of St. Andrew's W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Don McIntosh on Tuesday after exercises were in charge of Mrs. R. A. Hermiston, president. The meeting was opened by singing a hymn and reading the Scripture lesson, followed by prayer by Mrs. Hermiston. The minutes of the September meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Hermiston then called for the reports to be read. Mrs. Foster reported for the Bale and Mrs. S. McIntosh reported for the Home-Helpers' work for the year thus far. Roll call showed the attendance of fourteen members. The offering was taken by Mrs. A. Hammond and dedicated by

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Mrs. R. A. Hermiston.

The appointment of a nominating committee resulted in the following ladies being named, Mrs. S. McIntosh, noon, October 12th. The Devotional and Mrs. L. Rodgers. Mrs. Walker gave a brief report on the Mission work in Formosa. Mrs. Hermiston explained that there were church calendars for sale and asked for a good response to this appeal.

Mrs. E. Cain then took charge of the following program: a hymn was sung and prayer offered by Mrs. Cain; a reading "Bushel for Bushel" was given by Mrs. S. McIntosh, which was much enjoyed; Mrs. Vernon Mathews played a piano solo which was deeply appreciated; Mrs. C. Tummon gave a splendid reading, "My Thanks I Give"; Mrs. Walker gave a reading, "Looking for Trouble". The topic, given by Miss Gena Spry had a lesson for each one present. Clive holidays and Labour Day are holidays but they do not inspire people. "Thanks-giving Day does inspire people to their highest good. The truly thankful people are often those who do not have too much for themselves. The gifts of God have been the basis of our livelihood. At this Thanksgiving we should recognize God's goodness to us during the past year. God has provided with a lavish hand. Man does not live by bread alone. A Christian life should be one of thanksgiving. Mrs. Mathews favoured with another piano solo.

Mrs. Cain thanked all those who had taken part in the program. After the singing of a hymn, the meeting was closed by all repeating together the Mizpah benediction. Mrs. Kenneth Ray moved a vote of thanks to

Mrs. Don McIntosh for the use of her home, and to Mrs. Cain and her helpers for a splendid meeting.

Springbrook W.A.

The regular meeting of Springbrook W.A. met at the parsonage on Thursday, October 6th, with vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Bailey, in charge. Hymn, "We Plough The Fields and Scatter" was the opening hymn, followed by the theme song and W.A. prayer. Lesson thoughts were given by Mrs. G. Broadworth, closing with prayer Psalm 57 was read responsively. The Roll call "A Thanksgiving Verse" was well responded to. There were 2 visitors present. The number of cards sent during the month were 20 and 21 calls were made.

Mrs. K. Thompson expressed thanks for sympathy cards sent to her at the time of her bereavement. It was decided to not hold the anniversary supper this year.

The program was as follows: Topic, "Luke", by Mrs. J. A. McKeown; reading, "Discovery", read by Mrs. Roy Brown and one by Mrs. Bailey, "Rural Churches Have a Neglected Look".

Collection amounted to \$3.17. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction. Lunch was served by the ladies in charge.

NOTICE

Dr. Ralph W. Vandervoort wishes to announce that during the existing power shortage his office hours will be changed to 9 a.m.-2 p.m. and 4-6 p.m. and Tuesday and Saturday evenings only, from 7.30 to 10 o'clock.



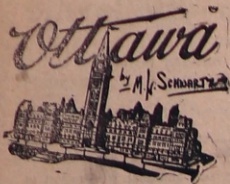
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Crisis and R.C.A.F.

The crisis in Berlin over the Soviet Union's blockade of the German capital and the determined, heroic air service by Britain and United States, which has reached the United Nations Security Council, has been the subject of much talk backstage in Ottawa where it is believed that some new decision by Canada in regard to possible participation by the R.C.A.F. may be forthcoming later. What this decision will be may depend on the developments at the United Nations' meeting in Paris and whether or not this air service will be expanded. It is forecast by observers here that these two factors may determine Canada's new stand on the air lift.

Political Strategy

It is now understood in this capital that the newly-chosen Progressive-Conservative leader George Drew, will shortly not only make a tour of the country from coast to coast but that he will make an energetic drive to reorganize the party in every direction, with the basic strategy behind these steps being that the party should be fully prepared for the sudden calling of a general election. Such a snap election has been rumoured here for some time now, with gossip saying it may come early next

summer. Likewise, it is expected here that the recently-chosen leader of the Liberals, Louis St. Laurent may start a drive to reorganize that domestic political life will be greatly revitalized in the coming weeks.

National Emergency

The acute housing shortage across Canada is still described here as a national emergency and the Canadian Welfare Council has concluded that the lack of dwelling accommodation is the most pressing of all national social problems of the moment so that the latest report of the Canadian Government on the number of dwelling units completed in Canada is considered of the utmost interest. This official survey shows that in the first eight months of 1948 an estimated 43,571 dwelling units were completed in Canada, including 35,410 one-family detached units, 2,290 two-family detached, 876 row or terrace, 4,916 apartment or flat units and 79 others.

It is estimated by officials here from the types of dwellings being constructed that 28% of the dwelling units completed in the first eight months of this year are for rental purposes and that the remainder will be owner-occupied. The proportion of rental units has fallen from 30% for the first seven months and 32% for the first six months, indicating that a much larger proportion of the completions in the last two months are for owner-occupancy.

Drop in Prices

Unofficially, it is predicted here that there will be a gradual drop in meat prices soon, though this may be followed by a slight increase in some areas in the coming winter, even if this increase would most likely not

reach the peak recorded in 1948. Much will depend, it is hinted, on the reaction in the United States where experts are now predicting bluntly that meat prices may come down. With U.S. markets loaded prices are bound to fall somewhat, it is stressed.

Important Story

There is no attempt in this capital to minimize the importance of the report that the adoption of the "unified" screw thread by the United States, Britain and Canada can be interpreted as the first major step towards a general standardization of industrial production linked to defence preparations. Indeed, it is possible, if not probable, that the handicap of a lack of standard equipment and tools amongst the Allies during the past war was a big error and it is now hinted that this mistake will not be repeated, if another war should ever break out. To the average Canadian this story may not appear to be of major significance but it is regarded with utmost importance by defence authorities here, especially since it is pointed out that, if standardization can be an accomplished fact in one direction, it might also be in other respects.

This means that eventually there may be a general standardization of tools and equipment used by Britain, United States and Canada, if the present initial step on the "unified" screw is advanced in other directions as it is generally expected here.

There is intense interest along Parliament Hill in the apparent decision at Cabinet level to appoint a Royal Commission under the Public Inquiries Act for the purpose of examining and reporting upon questions of econ-

omic policy within the jurisdiction of Parliament involved in the operation and maintenance of national transportation. In this connection it is pointed out that the Public Inquiries Act excludes from its operation inquiries regulated by any special law. The scope of the Royal Commission will not extend to questions or matters which, under the Railway Act, are within the exclusive jurisdiction of the Board of Transport Commissioners.

Demands Will Increase

It is forecast here that when the next session of Parliament opens, probably towards the end of January 1949, there will be an insistent chorus of demands for lowering of taxes, with the latest report that \$454,515 surplus has been achieved by the Canadian Government between April 1 and Aug. 31 compared with \$443,972,000 for same period last year helping the case of those asking for tax cuts.

Said in the Capital

"I think myself that they should be admitted and I think the Legion now should be tolerant," said Capt. Dave Burgess, MC, past president of the Canadian Legion in Ottawa, suggesting that NRMA troops who served in World War II theatres of war should be permitted to join the Canadian Legion.

"While we must never overlook the importance of safe custody, we must realize the importance of turning out the prisoner better equipped than when he entered," declared Maj.-Gen. R. B. Gibson, Commissioner of Penitentiaries, during an address here to officers of Canada's penal institutions.

"The best way to fight Communism is to give our young people parks and recreational facilities," advised Hon. Alexander Tache in a talk in the capital.

"No matter what their political views Canadians will view this spectacle in shame and reassert their demand that the federal government act on the need for low rental housing now," commented CCF leader, M. J. Coldwell, on the eviction of families from army barracks in a certain Canadian city.

"It was told that discipline in Canadian schools was not too good," asserted Miss Norah Latham, of Nottingham, Eng., exchange teacher now in Canada. "After a week here I don't agree," she emphasized.

Weekly Wind-Up

Perhaps, it is the beginning of something important so that it can be reported now that hotels appear to be having more rooms readily available, it is learned in Ottawa, with the situation easing up considerably for travellers.

While reports have indicated that United States authorities are barring many labor leaders from entering the country, yet inquiries here now show that this ban is not directed in the least at trade unionists in general but only against known or suspected Communists in particular.

Plans are completed for a huge gathering here of the Civil Service Assembly of Canada and the United States, with about 600 delegates coming for this big gathering, including Sir Percy Waterfield, Commissioner for the United Kingdom Civil Service, who will be main speaker.

Due to the serious power shortage, the construction of the \$57,000,000 Les Joachims project, initially scheduled for completion in 1951, will be delivering at half capacity at least by early 1950. It will be a 480,000 horsepower plant.

Salaries paid engineering and science teachers in Canadian universities are definitely inadequate, the Canadian Council of professional Engineers and Scientists indicated at a meeting here recently.

In face of rumors to the contrary the relationship between the city and Federal District Commission of this nation's capital have always been of the most amicable nature possible, with no feud existing, it is learned on the highest authority here.

It is reported here that Communists in Canada are still trying to persuade displaced persons arriving in this country to join their ranks but their efforts are not meeting with much success.

Northerner Buys

Trenton Paper

Nolan Sisson has purchased The Trenton Courier-Advocate, a weekly newspaper founded in 1854, from The Times Publishing Company, of Oshawa.

For 14 years manager of The Timmins Press, Mr. Sisson said he plans to live in Trenton and personally direct the paper. A native of Manitoulin Island, he has had experience in newspaper promotion and management at Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Sudbury and North Bay, as well as Timmins.

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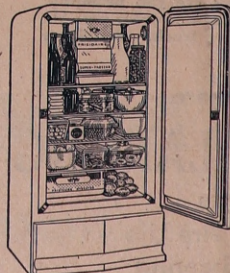
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ENGLISH JOURNEY

BY WALTER R. LEGGE

ARTICLE No. 11

Everyone who goes to England is anxious to see some of the bomb damage. Time and workmen are fast healing the scars, so that in some cities, when open spaces are seen, one does not know whether they are the result of bombing, fires, or just spaces that have never been built on.

In the smaller places and open country the casual observer today would see little or no signs of the late war. After a while, certain depressions in the fields can be recognized as craters caused by bombs and any resident of a community will readily show where any incidents occurred.

Most of the larger cities still have many signs of bomb damage, although it has been cleared up in some cities more than in others.

There is a vast area of workers' homes which can be seen from the trains going from Waterloo station that in 1942 looked pretty awful, with apparently little left but the walls. Today those same houses are all repaired and inhabited, and from the train look the same as any other district of workers' homes. There are many other sections that have been repaired in the same way.

In London, one of the first places that the visitor goes to see is the area around St. Paul's Cathedral, and it has changed very little since I was there in 1942. The miracle of St. Paul's left almost unscathed while everything around was demolished can still be really appreciated when seen.

There is much bomb damage to be seen in Liverpool, Manchester, and other places, but Bristol still appeared to me to have the most striking examples of bomb damage. There may be other places with just as much devastation, such as Dover, Coventry, Hull, Portsmouth, etc., but Bristol shows more concentrated damage than any other city that I visited on this trip.

If anyone is interested in stories of war thousands of them can be collected for although little is left on the secret list, only a small percentage of the stories have ever been told, in print at any rate.

The chief warden of a large area, almost entirely rural recounted some of his experiences, and even got out some of his records to give some figures.

It was in his district that one of the most fantastic incidents of the war happened. It has appeared in print before, but is worth telling again. A parachute laid mine was dropped one night, and the parachute caught on the chimney of a large mansion. A maid in the house was not able to sleep all night on account of the noise of something scraping on the wall outside her window, but she never got up to see what was causing the noise. The next morning it was discovered that a land mine, 10 feet long, was hanging from its parachute caught on the chimney, and it was this mine, swinging back and forth, that had kept her awake.

Almost as fantastic was a similar incident when a land mine fell in a narrow space between two hay stacks, and the parachute held the mine just off the ground.

The wardens and their staffs had a most efficient system by which they were advised of everything that happened in their territory and were able to get to any spot in a remarkably short space of time. They were also kept advised of progress in other areas.

One night this warden was called to a house that had been bombed. There were two women in the house. An assistant came up to report that it was impossible to get one of the women into the ambulance, so the warden went down to investigate. He found that this woman was suffering from shock and was absolutely rigid in a sitting position, as she had been sitting when the bomb struck. When they pushed her feet down, her head came up, and when they tried to lower her head, her feet came up. The only way that they could get her into the ambulance was by taking out all the shelves.

In another case, a bomb sheared off the side of a house in which two women were staying, and one of the women walked out of the house unharmed.

It was in this area that the largest unexploded bomb fell. It was in a field not far from a town. As was the procedure in such a case, the residents of the neighbourhood were evacuated, and the bomb disposal squad started digging for the bomb. They dug down over sixty feet before abandoning the search for the time being. It was later located 84 feet down in the earth.

To give some idea of what England went through during the bombing might be mentioned that in this area which covered 84 square miles, mostly

rural as mentioned before, there fell 346 high explosives, 9 doodle bugs, 13 parachute mines, and many thousands of incendiary bombs.

The worst experiences that this warden had were when planes crashed, and he told of one flying fortress starting out on a mission that crashed with its load of bombs. The plane and its crew of ten were blown into thousands of small pieces.

There is an interesting story about a hamlet of a few houses that I visited. Early in the war this hamlet was filled with evacuees from London. Soon after they arrived a number of bombs were dropped in the vicinity, and one bomb demolished a small house at the edge of the hamlet. The evacuees all tramped back to London. They said it was safer there.

One of the most fascinating stories was obtained from a very distant relative who is a survivor of Dunkirk. Like most of those heroes, he was not very anxious to talk about it, but with the help of his wife, we managed to get a few details.

He enlisted at the outbreak of war, and as he had a badly needed trade, he was shipped to France three weeks after he enlisted. When his company started evacuating his pal was hit in the shoulder, so he carried two rifles on a forced march of 16 miles. At the time he reached the beach, he was more or less every man for himself. He had five others found by hand for food only one small tin of sardines. One of them managed to eat a small pig, but they had just a few nicely cooked when a small blowup hit to pieces.

Hearing that there were boys nine miles away, one of them set off to try and reach them. Snipers were firing at them all the way, and he ran in front of him was killed. After three days on the beach, he was finally taken off by a boat, but by the time all he had left was his trousers, boots, a tin hat and his wrist watch and he hadn't shaved for four days.

On arrival in England they were sent north on twenty-two hours leave. As he was destitute, he applied for pay and in a few of disgust he said that he finally got 10 shillings.

It would not be difficult to get material to write war stories for a long time to come.

TYPING AND SHORTHAND

If sufficient pupils of grades XI, XII and XIII are found to be interested, a special one year's course in typing and shorthand will be instituted at the Trenton High School commencing in September, 1949.

News For The Busy Farmers

(Continued from Page 3)

among the financial gains which would accrue to Canadian agriculture by thorough and economic pest control. The saving on milk production is estimated at \$10 million; beef, \$26 million; control of miscellaneous insects, \$34 million; disinfecting seeds, \$100 million; weed control, \$122 million; control of rats, \$15 million; — a total of \$377 million.

Increase in production of animal products has been demonstrated by the use of DDT residual sprays in and about barns; and rotenone, thiocyanates and DDT applied to the animals during the summer season to control flies.

Control of certain weeds in grain and other crops by the use of 2, 4-D, oils and other materials would result in increased production as well as a reduction of labour and expense on this, one of agriculture's biggest headaches. Seed disinfecting would also show an economic return in increased stands with lower rates of seeding.

The damage done by rats could be greatly reduced by rat proofing of buildings, elimination of harborage and waste food, as well as poisoning and general clean-up campaigns.

All these and other control methods have been employed and it is estimated that their widest economical use would result in immense savings.

The Pesticides Inspection Services of the Dominion Department of Agriculture are working constantly with other Government services and industry to see that effective pest control products are available. The quantities of the most efficient pesticides known continue to increase, while those of doubtful and superseded value are fast disappearing from trade channels as a result of this co-operation and effort. Buyers now more than ever before, can be assured that the pesticides they buy will do the job claimed for them on the label, when used as directed in their campaign against the pest foe.



Hello Home-makers! Hearty home-cooked food are popular when the family gets together. The fragrance of bacon, corn bread on a chilly October morning is something to awaken happy memories of days when breakfasts were meals to be reckoned with; of country kitchens with a crackling in the stove; of children shuffling through piles of gold, crimson leaves.

People like to remember the old traditions, but they are particularly nostalgic about the dishes most used to make—the pies, the bakes, the pungent pickles and simnel cakes. These hearty foods belong to fall menus.

BRAN CORNBREAD WITH BACON

1 egg
1 cup sugar
1 1/2 cups milk
1 cup cereal bran
1 cup cornmeal
1 1/2 cups sifted pastry flour
1/2 tsp. baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 pound diced side bacon

Grease a 9 x 9 inch cake pan. Pre-heat electric oven to 400 degrees. Beat egg and sugar together, add milk, bran and cornmeal. Sift flour with baking powder and salt and sift into first mixture. Pour into prepared pan. Arrange bacon in top and bake 30 minutes. Eight servings.

As a supper dish serve this with scalloped tomatoes or a creamed vegetable cooked in electric oven at same time as cornbread.

CHICKEN LOAF

Choose a 5-pound rather fat hen and have it disjointed. Barely cover the pieces with water. Add a few sticks of celery, a small onion, sliced, and two or three pieces of parsley. Bring to boil and then simmer gently until meat falls from the bones. When cool enough to handle cut meat into small pieces and add the meat to 1 cupful white bread crumbs, 1

cupful milk, 1 cupful of the chicken stock, strained, salt and pepper to taste and 1 teaspoon celery salt. Stir in 4 well-beaten eggs; pour into greased, shallow pan, place pan in pressure saucepan and cook 20 minutes at 10 lbs. pressure. To serve cut in squares and serve in mushroom gravy made from remainder of chicken stock and sauteed mushrooms.

Serve with hot potato salad, cranberry jelly or some of your red currant jelly, mixed green salad, pickles and celery hearts.

MOCK MINCEMEAT

1 1/2 cups seeded raisins
4 medium apples
1 orange
(grated rind and juice)
1 cup cider
two-thirds cup sugar
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 tsp. cloves
2 crushed graham crackers

Cut raisins. Peel, core and slice apples. Combine raisins, apples, orange rind, juice, and the cider. Cover and simmer 10 minutes. Add sugar, spices, and cracker crumbs. Stir until well blended. Cool thoroughly before using as pie filling. For a 9-inch pie.

CREAM FILLED SQUASH

Cut 2 pepper squash in half and scrape out the seeds and stringy portion. Place in pressure cooker with large whole scrubbed potatoes. Cook potatoes and squash together 10 minutes at 10 lbs. pressure. Remove as soon as cooked. Pour the following creamed mixture into squash: To 1 cup cream sauce, add 1 cup of chopped cooked meat and season with salt, pepper and a dash of nutmeg.

INDIVIDUAL LIVER LOAVES

1 pound liver
1 1/2 cups mashed potato
2 tbsps. chopped onion
1 chopped celery
1 tsp. salt
1 egg, beaten
1 cup milk

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in egg and milk. Turn in greased muffin tins and bake in electric oven at 375 degrees for 20 minutes. Heat a can of vegetables and bake 4 apples

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o the Stirling News-Argus. Just send in your questions on homemaking problems and watch this little corner of the column for replies.

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Death

COOK — At Belleville Hospital, on Wednesday, October 13th, 1948, Iva Ina Stapley, beloved wife of John Cook, in her 54th year. Funeral from her late residence, 9th Con. of Sidney, at 2 p.m., on Friday, to Eggleton Church for service at 2.30 p.m. Interment Eggleton cemetery.

St. Andrew's Young People's

The meeting of Young People's at St. Andrew's for October 4th, opened with the repeating in union of the Lord's prayer. Hymn 600 was followed by the Scripture reading taken from Matthew 3, verses 10 to 17. The minutes and the roll call were given by the secretary. The business discussion was followed by the collection.

Miss Gena Spry gave the topic based on Thanksgiving. James Johnson moved a vote of thanks for the timely topic. Isabelle and Mary Agnes Fox, accompanied by Doreen, at the piano, sang a duet, "The Lily of the Valley". The devotional period ended with hymn 681. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and lunch. The meeting closed with Rev. Walker pronouncing the Benediction.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods, of Metcalfe, Ont., wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace Margaret, to Clarke Wilfred Pidgeon, only son of Mrs. Mildred Pidgeon, of Peterborough, Ont. Marriage to take place on October 15th, in Metcalfe United Church, at 3 p.m.

Local And Personal

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gan and Mr. James Frederick, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bateman, of Stirling, and Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Bateman, Springbrook, returned home Wednesday after spending a few days in Toronto and Kitchener.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Gooderidge, of Napanee, Mr. and Mrs. H. Messer, Mrs. Carl Mullen and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Porter, of Toronto, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Vance, Mr. and Mrs. John Sheridan, Mrs. Anne Panning, Stirling and Miss Audrene Martyn, of Brighton, were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright.

NOTICE

Dr. Cornett's office will be closed on Saturday, October 16th.

Entered in Rest

MRS. MARGARET LOWERY
On Tuesday afternoon, the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Lowery, widow of Edmund Lowery, who died from her home at Holloway, St. Paul's Anglican Church, Stirling, was conducted by the Rev. F. C. Beazer, who also read the committal prayers at the graveside in St. Paul's cemetery. The service was held at 2 p.m. The late Mrs. Lowery was a member of the Ladies' Orange Evolent Association and the last of her Order were conducted at the graveside by Sister Verna Woodhouse, B.A. No. 655, Stirling, L.O. L.O.B.A. No. 824, Holloway, who was present at the ceremony. The bearers were Clifford Von, George Goodfellow, Fred Elliott, Murray Morgan, Charles Kelly and Kelly.

Missing Boy Returns Home Was In Toronto

Bill Thompson, son of Mr. James Thompson, of Millbrook, and formerly of Stirling, returned home safely on Saturday afternoon. The 16-year-old Millbrook youth, missing since an automobile accident Thursday morning, was walking along the Millbrook Road about 3.30 p.m., close to the spot where the accident had happened when he was reunited with his father, James Thompson, principal of the Millbrook High School.

He explained that his absence was partly because of the dazed condition in which the accident had left him and partly because of fear of the consequences of the accident with his father's car, which he had taken without permission "just for a little ride". He had spent most of his time away from home in Toronto, sleeping at a Salvation Army hostel, going to a show. Saturday morning, he decided to go home.

Except for a fracture of his hand and not serious face cuts, Thompson was not injured after his 64-hour stay away from home.

He was trudging along the Millbrook Road about a half-mile from where the car he was driving collided with that of Lloyd Byam when he was discovered by his father. Mr. Thompson was being driven back from Stirling, where he had gone early Saturday morning to enter the third day of search for his son. The family has relatives in that town and it was thought Bill might head there. After the accident, the boy explained, "My head felt awfully funny and I didn't know exactly what to do." He admitted with a laugh that "I was pretty scared by what might happen after they saw the wreck the car was in."

He walked through the woods then until he hit the Port Hope Highway to Toronto and hitch-hiked his way into the city. He found lodging for the night at the Salvation Army hostel there and had something to eat.

All day Friday, the youth spent in Toronto. He "just walked around the streets and looked at things" and went to a movie. He returned to the hostel for sleeping Friday night.

Saturday morning, he came to his decision to return home when he became aware of the intensive search his father was making for him—and the fact that the father had told newspapers to advise his son not to worry about the results of the collision.

Bill was on his way home when Mr. Thompson at last located him.

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Anniversary St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Sunday, Oct. 24

SERVICES AT 11 A.M. AND 7.30 P.M.

REV. PROF. DAVID WM. HAY, M.A., KNOX COLLEGE, TORONTO, PREACHER
ANNIVERSARY SUPPER, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26TH, AT 6.30 P.M. TICKETS 75c AND 40c

SPECIAL MUSIC BY THE CHOIR

St. Paul's United Church Marked 95th Milestone on Sunday

Rev. A. M. Laverty, B.A.,
B.D., Special Speaker For
Occasion — Large Crowds

Sunday, October 17th, marked the 95th Anniversary of St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, and special services were held both morning and evening, with appropriate music by the choir under the direction of Rev. R. W. Barker, minister. Large congregations were in attendance at both services, with friends of sister churches joining with St. Paul's in the services of thanksgiving and reconsecration.

[Rev. A. M. Laverty, B.A., B.D., Chaplain at Queen's University Kingston, and a former minister of St. Paul's was the guest speaker at both services] and delivered two very inspiring sermons which held the rapt attention of capacity congregations. Special Music

Special music, arranged by Rev. R. W. Barker, as choir leader, was rendered by a full choir at both services. In the morning, the choir rendered the anthem, "The King of Heaven" with Mrs. William Wilkins and Mrs. F. Thain taking a duet part. Mrs. M. J. Black and Mrs. Wm. Reynolds also sang a duet, "Pleasant Are Thy Courts Above".

At the evening service, the choir rendered the anthem "Hark, Hark My Soul"—Shelley, with solo parts being sung by Mrs. M. J. Black, Mrs. C. E. Macklin, Mrs. R. W. Barker and Mrs. Russell Stapley and Mr. William Reynolds sang "The Pharisee and the Publican".

Throughout the entire services of both morning and evening, Miss Grace Pitman, A.T.C.L., presided at the console of the organ and was accompanied by Mr. Tommy Patterson, at the piano.

At the morning service they rendered "Concerto in A Minor", by J. Williams, as a prelude, "Minuet", by Ira B. Wilson at the offertory and Grand March from "Stabat Mater", as a recessional. At the evening service they rendered the same numbers as a prelude and recessional and "The Beautiful City" by Ira B. Wilson, at the offertory.

Prof. Hay at St. Andrew's

Rev. Professor David Wm. Hay, M.A., Knox College, Toronto, will be the guest speaker at the anniversary services of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, on Sunday, October 24th.

Professor Hay occupies the chair of systematic Theology in Knox College, Toronto. He spent four and a half years in the service of the Army in the Second World War. He became Chaplain of the Highland Light Infantry and later went to Italy as Padre of the First Battalion.

Prof. Hay distinguished himself in his college career. In Arts he took Honours in Philosophy and won Honours medals in Moral Philosophy in Edinburgh University. In his Divinity course, he won the Ferguson Scholarship in Mental Philosophy.

Come and hear this outstanding preacher next Sunday in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. In the evening, Professor Hay will speak about the World Council of Churches recently instituted at Amsterdam which he had the honour of attending.

CHATHAM WINS

The Intermediate "A" Ontario Baseball Association title was won Saturday by Chatham Hadeys when they defeated Napanee Athletics, 13-3, to capture the best-of-three final in two straight at Napanee.

Death

DRACUP — At Belleville, on Wednesday, October 20th, Eva Anderson, beloved wife of W. S. Dracup. Rest at the Martin Funeral Home, Belleville, where the funeral will take place at 2.30 p.m. Saturday, October 23rd. Interment in Stirling Cemetery.

Stores To Open Wednesday Morning

Stirling Stores will close on Tuesday night and open Wednesday mornings until further notice according to an announcement by Stirling Business Men's Association. The all-day closing on Wednesday has been in force since May last.

Water Main Broken

While digging a trench across North street at the Post Office corner on Wednesday morning, employees of the Gest Equipment Co. struck the watermain with a drill and cracked it open. As a result, citizens in that section of the village were deprived of water until repairs were made. The trench is being dug for the Bell Telephone Co. in order to put cable underground.

Attend W.A. Hastings Deanery

Among those from St. John's Church, Stirling, attending the Annual Conference Women's Auxiliary Hastings Deanery held in St. Paul's Church, Marmora, on Thursday last, were Rev. A. J. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow, Mrs. Edward Kent, Mrs. S. McMurray, Mrs. Walter Savage, Mrs. Fred Kent, Mrs. Henry Cook, Mrs. Everett Cooke, Mrs. Hiram Rodgers, Mrs. C. Vance, Mrs. M. Tanner, Mrs. Thos. Tanner and Mrs. J. B. Belshaw.

Telephone Gangs At Work Here

Three gangs of Bell Telephone employees are in town at present doing overhaul and extension work on the rural lines between Stirling and Bonarlaw. Two additional gangs are expected to arrive within the next couple of weeks.

Loses Part of Finger

Everett Heath, farmer, of 10th Concession of Rawdon, suffered a painful injury at the farm of Chris. Bateman, Springbrook, on Tuesday morning. While assisting in loading a bull in a truck his finger became caught in a loop in the lead rope and when the animal jerked violently backwards, the digit was pinched off between the first and second joints. Medical attention was given by Dr. E. A. Carleton, Stirling.

Local And Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Albrow and Mrs. Harriet Cobb, of Flint, Mich., also Mrs. Ven Ricketts, Guelph, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. William Morris, of Carmel, attended the morning anniversary service at St. Paul's last Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden, Front Street.

Rexall One-Cent Sale Coming

R. Hermiston's Drug Store announces the annual Big 1-cent Sale commencing on Wednesday, next, October 27th, and continuing for four days to Saturday, October 30th. Here's your opportunity to get your fall and winter needs at a saving.

CHEST CLINIC COMING HERE

The Provincial Chest Clinic will be held in the basement of the Public Library in Stirling on Thursday, November 4th from 1.15 to 4.40 p.m. and on the following day, Friday, November 5th, from 9 a.m. until 4.40 p.m. The services of this clinic are entirely free and include X-ray of the chest. There are many in this district who should avail themselves of this opportunity and all ex-sanatoria patients are urged to attend for recheck.

All appointments must be made through the patient's family physician or through the local Medical Officer of Health.

Delegates to Convention

At a meeting of the Stirling Progressive Conservative Association held in Council Chambers on Tuesday evening, delegates were appointed to the annual meeting and convention for the Federal riding of Hastings-Peterborough in Marmora Town Hall, on Wednesday next, October 27.

Those named were Messrs. E. G. Bailey, Harper Rollins, Gilbert Thompson, Wm. Patterson, Mrs. Nina Morton and Mrs. J. E. Salisbury. The alternates named are Messrs. Carman Fitchett, Roy Eggleton, Guy Bradshaw, W. L. Anderson, Mrs. E. G. Bailey and Mrs. Roy Eggleton.

Anniversary At West Huntingdon

Anniversary services were held at St. Andrew's Church, West Huntingdon on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., with large congregations being present at both services. Rev. M. Heslop, of Madoc, was the guest minister and preached two appropriate sermons.

Special music included an anthem by the choir and a solo by Mrs. W. D. Grant, of Holloway, in the morning and two anthems by the choir at the evening service.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Mr. Wm. Vardy, of Maynooth, spent the week end with his wife and family at their home on Front St.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wannamaker spent the Thanksgiving week end in Orillia guests of Mrs. M. Beers.

Mrs. Rebecca Sine and Mrs. Edith Murphy have returned home after visiting friends in Toronto.

Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Laverty of Kingston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatton on Sunday.

Mr. James Gibson, of London, Ont., is a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wannamaker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenley of Warkworth were visiting friends in town on Sunday.

Miss Rosa Spry is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Duff and Mr. Duff in Aurora and relatives in Wyndotte, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brennan, of Cobourg, spent Thursday and Friday last guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fanning.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dupuis, of Maynooth, were guests over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sillis, of Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs.

St. Andrew's Club Pot-Luck Supper

At the regular meeting on October 4th, it was unanimously voted that the name of St. Andrew's Young Peoples be changed to St. Andrew's Club.

The Club meeting of October 18th began with a Pot Luck Supper at 7 o'clock. This supper was followed by the devotional period which was opened with the Lord's Prayer in unison. Hymn 538 was followed by the Scripture reading, Psalm 23, by Barbara Saries. The minutes of the last meeting and the roll call were given by the secretary. Hymn 773 concluded the devotional period.

The recreational part began with a sing song. Marilyn Eggleton and Ross Hermiston gave a piano duet, and after a reading "The Soldier's Monologue", by Mrs. Ken Ray, they rendered a piano and saxophone duet. Following the contests and games, the benediction, pronounced by Mr. Walker, brought to a close a very enjoyable evening at which everyone had a great deal of fun.

Visits District Rebekah Lodges

Sis. Ethel Duffin, of Stirling, District Deputy President of Rebekah District No. 30, made her official visits to Tweed and Belleville Lodges on Friday and Tuesday nights respectively, and installed the officers of the respective lodges. She was assisted by Deputy Marshal Sis. Annie Warren, Deputy Herald Sis. Marion Wells, Deputy Warden Sis. Evelyn Bailey, Deputy R. Secretary Sis. Edith Bradshaw, Deputy F. Secretary Sis. Gladys Elliott, Deputy Treasurer Sis. Edith Utman, Deputy Chaplain Sis. Effie Bailey, Deputy I. Guard Sis. Mabel Megginson, Deputy O. Guard Sis. Florence Maynes.

The trips were made in Wannamaker's bus, of Foxboro, and several members of Laurel Lodge No. 211 accompanied the installation team.

Harry Fanning, of Wellman's, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rodgers, of Stirling, and Mr. and Mrs. D. O'Hara, Belleville, attended the plowing match in Lindsay on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bush and daughters, Adeline and Marjorie, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tucker.

Mr. D. E. Robinson and Norman Scott, of Maynooth, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vardy.

Mrs. Alice Hoard left on Wednesday for her home in Northern Valley, Alberta, after spending the past fourteen months visiting brothers and sisters in Stirling and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Montgomery, of Foxboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen, of Mount Pleasant, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Demorest at a birthday dinner on Sunday in honour of their son, Herbie.

Recent guests at the home of Mrs. E. Brown, Harold, were Dr. and Mrs. Alcombrook, of Toronto; Mr. Melville Heagle, of Oshawa; Miss Edna Heagle, of Toronto; Mrs. Andrew Heagle, Miss Mildred Heagle, Mr. Clifford Heagle and Mrs. Blanche Johns, of Hoards.

Local Teachers Elected to Office

At a meeting of the Public School Women Teachers' Federation held in Madoc on Tuesday night, Mrs. R. B. Bell, of Stirling, was elected president and Miss N. Montgomery, of Stirling secretary. Others attending from here were Miss G. Huffman and Mrs. G. Heath.

Appointed Local Representative

Thos. A. Kerr, Gore St., has received his license as the local representative of J. A. Willoughby & Son, Realtors, of Toronto. Mr. Kerr succeeds Mr. A. H. Collings, who recently moved to Colborne, Ont., and offers citizens of this district a complete real estate service. In his four years' residence in Stirling Mr. Kerr has made many friends who wish him well in his new venture.

Visit Picton Lodge

Messrs. J. L. Good, Ivan Caldwell, Floyd Armstrong and J. S. Whitehead paid a fraternal visit to Picton Chapter on Monday night. The occasion was marked by the official visit of the Grand Superintendent of Prince Edward District, Royal Arch Masons.

Principal Treats Students

Principal C. A. Wells, of Stirling Public School, was host at a theatre party to the honour students in his 1948 Entrance Class on Friday night in Belleville. The honour students were Evelyn Lancaster, Denise Burgess, Marabelle West, Grace Carleton, Shirley Ackers, Mary Robb, Muriel Devlin and Ronald Williams.

Attend Belleville Sec. Rally

Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Mrs. A. Armstrong, Mrs. E. G. Bailey, Mrs. R. W. Barker and Mrs. C. E. Macklin attended Belleville Sectional Rally W.M.S. held in Plainfield Tuesday morning and afternoon. Miss Maimie Gollan, Church of All Nations, Toronto, was the guest speaker.

Defeat Marmora By Score 19-5

Stirling High School rugby squad continued their winning ways on Friday afternoon last when they defeated Marmora at the Stirling Fair Grounds by a score of 19 to 5. The locals have defeated each team in the league by a large score and barring injuries appear headed for the championship.

Roy Tucker Weds Evva Barton

A pretty wedding was solemnized Monday evening, October 18th, in St. Paul's United Church parsonage, Stirling, when Evva Gladys, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Barton, of Springbrook, became the bride of Roy George, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tucker, of Stirling, in a double ring ceremony. Rev. R. W. Barker officiated.

The bride looked charming in a loganberry suit with black and gold accessories and a corsage of white carnations and baby's breath.

The bride's sister, Miss Ila Barton, of Goderich, was her only attendant, and was attired in a grey suit with grey and navy accessories. Her corsage was of pink and white carnations and baby's breath.

Mr. Robert Philip, of Stirling, attended the groom.

The happy couple left amid showers of confetti and best wishes on a trip to New York State, Niagara, Hamilton and Windsor.

On their return they will reside on the groom's farm near Stirling.

Officers Installed At Springbrook

D.D.G.M. Percy Sherwin
Installing Officer — Frank
Cosbey Is Noble Grand

On Tuesday evening of this week District Deputy Grand Master Percy R. Sherwin, of Campbellford Lodge I.O.O.F., and staff installed the officers of Springbrook Lodge, I.O.O.F. No. 429. The officers installed were as follows:

Noble Grand, Frank Cosbey;
Past Grand, Earl Cranston;
Vice-Grand, Reg. McKeown;
Fin. Sec., Chas. Lough;
Rec. Sec., A. B. McComb;
Treasurer, Hiram Mumby;
Chaplain, Ronald A. Brown;
Warden, Ralph Wellman;
Conductor, Gordon Bailey;
I. Guard, L. Mumby;
O. Guard, Byron Seeley;
R.S.S., Jesse Barlow;
L.S.S., Clarence Wellman;
R.S.N.G., Roy Shortt;
L.S.N.G., Roy Brown;
R.S.V.G., Mac Mason;
L.S.V.G., Jack Prest.

The installing team was composed of D.D.G.M. P. R. Sherwin; D.D.G., Marshall, T. J. Craighead; D.D.G. Warden, Chas. Palliser; D.D.G. Chaplain, G. Kellogg; D.D.G.R. Sec., J. F. McGregor; D.D.G. Fin. Sec., Morley Tanner; D.D.G. Treas., K. Stevens; D.D.G.I. Gd., Ernest Haig; D.D.G.O. Gd., Carl Barton.

The District Deputy gave a splendid address complimenting the officers chosen and gave an interesting account of a visit he made to the beautiful Oddfellows' Home, near Barrie, Ont., last summer.

Other officers of the team gave short address also. Past District Deputies Clayton Burkitt, W. H. Heath and J. F. Baker, of Springbrook Lodge and Past Grand Geo. E. Thompson also spoke briefly and all complimented the visiting team upon the excellency of the work and the impressive manner in which the various charges were delivered.

Several visitors from Stirling and Campbellford Lodges in addition to those mentioned made short addresses.

Won at District Holstein Show

Ontario county Holstein breeders won the county herd banner for the third year in succession at the Central Ontario regional championship Black and White show at Peterborough Wednesday.

Reserve grand and reserve senior was the two-year-old bull "Willow Slope Man-O-War Pabst", owned by Herbert Watt, of Foxboro.

A. L. McComb, of Bonarlaw, won 7th prize for a Heifer, 2 years old, and 5th for Junior Heifer Calf.

- Coming Events -

RESERVE WEDNESDAY, NOV. 17th.
Bazaar and Chicken Supper under auspices St. James' Church, Stirling. 1-1

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN
Anniversary Dinner, Tuesday, October 26th, at 6.30 p.m. Admission, Adults 75c, Children 40c. Everybody welcome. 52-1

EGGLETON ANNIVERSARY, Sunday, October 24th, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Rev. Harold Burgess as minister. Special music by choir. A cordial welcome is extended to all. 1-1

HALLOWEEN CONCERT AUSPIC-
es Wellman's W.I. in Orange Hall, Friday evening October 29th. Come in costume. Sandwiches and pie will be served. Adults 30c; children 15c. 1-1

DANCE UNDER AUSPICES STIR-
ling W.I. Community Hall, Stirling, Thursday, October 28th. Teen-Agers Orchestra. Admission \$1.00 per couple. 1-1

NOTICE

COMMENCING NEXT WEEK STIRLING
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21st, 1948

Annual Hastings Deanery Meeting Held At Marmora

The annual Hastings Deanery meeting of the W.A. was held last week at Marmora. There was a celebration of Holy Communion at St. Paul's at 10:30 a.m. at which 89 communicated. The celebrant was Rural Dean J. Brownlie, with Rev. F. C. Beazer as Epistoler and Rev. F. Downing as Gospeller.

The sermon was preached by the latter, who gave a resume of the missionary activities of the Church of England from the time of St. Columba onwards. Following the service delegates from the 10 W.A.s represented adjourned to the Parish Hall for dinner served by St. Paul's Ladies' Guild. In the afternoon they reassembled at the church.

Mrs. Lindsay Tanner, of St. Thomas, Rawdon, Deanery Secretary, called the meeting to order. Miss Edna Tanner was organist. Opening prayers were taken by Rural Dean J. M. Brownlie.

He pointed out that it was the first occasion for the Deanery W.A. to convene at St. Paul's. The address of welcome by Mrs. J. M. Brownlie followed. The response was made by Mrs. A. S. McConnell, of Trenton.

Reports were given by the St. John's, Bancroft, W.A. and the Little Helpers of that parish. Mrs. J. DePencier Wright, Diocesan president, introduced the lady missionary, Miss Bessie Plant, of Nigeria, Africa. Miss Plant described the customs and attire of the natives to whom she has

ministered for a number of years. She pointed out the marked difference between the habits of the inhabitants of Northern and Southern Nigeria and gave interesting details concerning the missionary campaign.

The contrast between a Moslem and Christian funeral taking place the same day was strikingly brought out by the speaker. The power ceded to the secret god of the Nigerians—the Magiro was unbounded and even their government recognized this. The people pay their heathen missionaries; Miss Plant pointed out the danger of letting anything take the place of our God.

Churches Report

Further reports were heard from St. Mark's, Bonarlaw; St. Paul's, Marmora; St. John's, Madoc; St. Paul's, Roslin, W.A. and Little Helpers; St. Thomas, Rawdon; St. John's W.A., Junior W.A. and Little Helpers, Stirling; Christ Church, Thomasburg; St. George's, Trenton, Senior W.A., Evening Branch, Girls' Branch, Junior W.A. and Little Helpers; St. James', of Tweed, W.A., Junior W.A. and Little Helpers.

St. Paul's, Marmora, in their report referred to the organization of the Girls' Auxiliary and the prospective formation of the Junior W.A. and Little Helpers.

Mrs. J. DePencier Wright, Diocesan

president, congratulated the branches on their progress during the past year. She stressed the importance of each branch paying its pledge in full annually and the use of thankoffering boxes. She hoped for a further increase in membership of the organization which had grown from seven members to 73,000. She referred to the sending of boxes of food by the branches to the clergy in England and hoped the thoughtful act would be continued.

Miss Bessie Corlier of Kingston gave the report of Dominion Board meeting held in Toronto recently.

Mrs. G. Reid, of Kingston, spoke on God's work, asking for more leaders and more branches. She also outlined the program of the camp held this past summer. Votes of thanks were given by Mrs. Kellar, of Bancroft, for the resolutions committee.

Bancroft Chosen

Invitations were received from the Trenton and Bancroft branches for the 1949 annual meeting. The latter branch, through Mrs. R. Wiggins, pointed out that the 60th anniversary of St. John's, Bancroft, will be held next June and as one of the outstanding events of their diamond jubilee year they desired to entertain the Deanery W.A. Trenton conceded the honor to Bancroft. Mrs. Lindsay Tanner declared her office of secretary-treasurer vacant. The Diocesan president moved her reelection which was carried unanimously.

Many delegates returned to the Parish Hall for tea before returning to their homes. Clergy of the Deanery also assembled at the rectory in the afternoon for a regular Deanery session.

Sidney School Area News

The October meeting of the Sidney Township School Area Board was held in Eggleston's School on Monday evening, October 11th in order to try out the recently installed lighting, which will be of infinite value to the school and to the community.

The order of business was altered to hear Mr. D. Burrows who was present to make inquiries regarding the purchase of land at Bayside. The Board decided to take no action on this matter at this time. The October accounts including teachers' and caretakers' salaries amounted to \$4,759.31. These were ordered paid, with the exception of a doctor bill for a boy injured at school in June.

Under the circumstances, the Board felt it was not its responsibility and ordered the bill returned to the doctor.

In order to supplement the supply of library and reference books at the schools the Board decided to subscribe to either South Hastings Circulating Library or the Departmental Travelling Library according to the preference of the teacher.

A request for an Employment Certificate was forwarded to the Township Attendance Officer for investigation and action.

A general policy was adopted after some discussion that in the event of a teacher wishing leave of absence for reasons other than those provided by the Schools' Act, permission would be granted at the discretion of the Board provided a suitable supply was obtained and paid by the teacher.

Notification of Education Week being held from Nov. 14th to Nov. 20th resulted in a motion to encourage the teachers in every way possible to plan some special activity, such as Open House, Parents' Night, Visitors' Day, displays, etc., for that week.

Plans to recognize in some way the school having the best attendance each month as determined by the Monthly Attendance Reports were discussed and left with the Supervising Principal to carry out whatever idea seemed best. September honours go to River Valley School where Mrs. R. Coombes teaches with a mark of 99.3 percent. Glen Miller School, whose teacher is Mrs. H. Park, was a close second with 99.21 percent. The average for the Area was 96.59 percent. This is a very creditable showing which reflects the co-operation of the parents in having their children attend regularly. The September enrolment figures showed 635 pupils or an increase of 19 pupils over the June enrolment for the Area.

Jas. A. Warren reported that on Saturday, September 26th he had attended a Home and School Conference at Brockville, and that from the reports and discussions there, he felt that there were distinct possibilities for such an organization in the Area as a whole or communities where it was desired. Promise of aid was offered by the Association to any group or groups wishing to form one.

The Newfoundland Railway, a deficit operation for all but four of its fifty years, is to be taken over by the C.N.R. under terms of confederation.



Hello Homemakers! Every business has its busy season and homemaking is no exception. Many women find early fall a period in which a hundred and one duties require their attention. Canning is in full swing, the children are off to school again, which means renovating and renewing their wardrobes, the house requires freshening up or decorating and throughout the household it is a time for stock-taking. Club meetings and social activities begin to absorb the all too few "off-duty" hours. And there you are — at your busiest. It is probably at this time you appreciate most the small but effective housekeeping pointers which make for efficiency and help you get results with minimum effort. So today we offer tips worth clipping for reminders at any time.

Take a Tip

1. To freshen your upholstered furniture, wipe with clean cloth moistened with cleaning fluid. Then, at once, rub briskly with dry clean cloth.

2. Painted floors and other painted surfaces will wear longer if you wax them lightly as soon as the paint is dry. One note of warning, however, before repainting wood remove every trace of wax. Use paint cleaner or turpentine.

3. If you have a new stove or refrigerator, keep the enamel surface new looking and sparkling by washing only with soap and water. Never use a cleaning powder or any abrasive. The soap and water treatment given frequently will prevent the surface from becoming scratched.

4. Dust your furniture with a moistened chamol, then rub with soft cheesecloth. Have chamol wrung out tightly so it will be just moist. Polish with dry cloth and there will be less frequent dusting.

5. In gluing together parts of a piece of furniture remove all the old glue first by scrubbing with hot water. Dry thoroughly. Heat the glue can in a tin can set in a water. Apply evenly and clamp or tie the broken part in place and allow to dry for at least 48 hours.

6. Wrought iron lighting fixtures and stair rails should be given a protective coat of liquid wax. (Do not use wax on fireplace accessories, as it is inflammable). Rust stains can be removed before waxing by rubbing with kerosene, then scouring with steel wool.

7. If lacquered brass finish dulls, remove it with denatured alcohol (poison) and apply fresh coat of water-white transparent metal lacquer with a paint brush.

Canadian Pilot Training To Get Government Grant

A Government subsidy to promote civilian flying training has received Cabinet approval and will be announced shortly from Ottawa, according to a report in the October issue of Canadian Aviation.

More generous than the pre-war grant to flying clubs, this new program also will have a broader application to include commercial flying schools as well, the magazine claims. Another new feature will be a direct cash payment to each flying graduate.

Each flying club or school providing an approved course of air and ground instruction will receive \$100 for every student who passes the private flying license tests. In addition, the student will receive a cash subsidy with his license.

The military significance of this program is indicated by the provision of an extra bonus to each flying graduate if he (a) is 18-22 years of age; (b) can pass the RCAF aircrew medical; (c) is willing to sign up for the RCAF auxiliary or the permanent force.

The Civil Aviation Division of the Department of Transport is working out a detailed plan of administration. When this is complete, an Order-in-Council will authorize the program.

Says the Cornwall Standard-Freeholder: "No longer is the man with a strong back and a weak mind wanted for farm work." What is he to turn to now? It sounds as though radio quiz programs provided the only lucrative opening.

8. Hammered aluminum will be bright and shining if washed in mild soapy hot water. If stained, use a fine wool pad (impregnated with special soap) over a cotton cloth and then rinse. Never use strong soap or alkaline scouring powders because they darken and discolor aluminum.

9. Plastic screens must be taken down and washed with garden hose or a brush and soapsuds. Dry thoroughly in a breeze before storing away.

10. The care of pressed wood walls which have a synthetic resin finish is quite simple. Regular dusting and occasional wiping with a damp chamol are all that is required.

11. Cement (concrete) floors in the basement are often damp. It makes it easier to care for them if you use a special paint or a wear-resistant surfacing. Mix 1 gallon of sodium silicate (water-glass) with 4 gallons of water. This makes enough solution to coat 1,000 square feet once. The floor should be clean and thoroughly dry. Apply solution with mop and let dry 24 hours. Scrub with clear water and let dry. Apply a second coat as above.

12. Windows may require putty to make them secure. If the glass is smeared while doing the job, take the putty marks off with household ammonia.

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FARM FIRE HAZARDS

Winter increases the chance of fire around farms, for oil lamps are needed more often in the home, storm-lanterns more frequently in barns and outbuildings. Only one out of every seven Canadian farms is served with electricity. Few, because of their location, can be aided by the effective fire-fighting services available to city and urban dwellers. Often lack of water and snow-bound roads would make firefighting apparatus useless in any case.

In a survey of fires on Canadian farms, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics estimates that 11 per cent of farm fires are caused by the use of inflammable liquids and a quarter arise from faulty heating or cooking equipment.

2,4-D MAY ADD TO WIREWORM DAMAGE

It is known that crop damage by the prairie grain wireworm is more pronounced and severe if either germination is delayed, or early growth of the young plant is retarded. Drought, sub-optimum temperatures, formalin seed treatments for smut control, and deep seeding are often instrumental in retarding germination and growth and in permitting increased wireworm damage.

In an article in the September issue of Scientific Agriculture, W. B. Fox, Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Saskatoon, Sask., describes a test made at the Soils and Research Laboratory, Swift Current, Sask., to observe the effect of 2, 4-D as a possible factor in increasing wireworm damage of wheat.

Two plots were sprayed with 2, 4-D on May 15, 1947, at the rate of one and two pounds of acid per acre respectively. A third plot between the two treated plots served as a check. On four successive dates, May 16, June 2, June 17 and July 3, wheat, in addition to other crops, was seeded across the three plots.

Casual observations on June 15 indicated that there was a greater degree of wireworm damage to the emerged wheat plants in the 2, 4-D treated plots than in the check plot. A more detailed examination revealed that the wheat kernels seeded on May 16 had disintegrated to such an extent that wireworm damage could not be determined. However, in the 2, 4-D treated plots seeded on June 2, the number of seeds which failed to germinate due to wireworm damage was three times as great as in the check plot seeded on 1947-same date. Counts of the emerged plants on June 2 seedlings were not feasible owing to immaturity though the damage appeared to be as severe as the plots seeded on May 16. The

crops seeded on June 17 and July 3 were examined at a later date, but had suffered very little damage, presumably because they were sown after the period of maximum wireworm activity.

In both rates of treatment by 2, 4-D the germination and growth of the wheat seeded on the two earlier dates were distinctly retarded in relation to the crop on the untreated plot. Associated with this delayed growth, about 30 per cent of the emerged plants were killed by wireworms while only 5 per cent were damaged in the check plot. Likewise the poorer germination and emergence in the treated plots appear to be caused to a considerable extent by wireworm damage. Apparently the 2, 4-D, by retarding the germination of the seeds and the growth of the plants, encouraged increased wireworm damage.

If this observation is substantiated by further evidence, concludes Mr. Fox, caution is indicated in applying herbicides shortly before or after seeding wireworm-infested fields; otherwise the losses caused by wireworms may nullify or exceed with the savings obtained in weed control.

WORLD WHEAT CROP

Prospects for the world wheat crop in 1948 indicate that the production may be around 6,250 million bushels, some four per cent above the 1935-39 average and seven per cent above the 1947 level, states the Bureau of Statistics in its September monthly review of the wheat situation. World rye production in 1948, estimated at 1,605 million bushels, is seven per cent below the pre-war average, but is eight per cent greater than the output in 1947.

Fortunately production in the usual deficit areas of Europe and Asia will be well over 1946 and 1947 levels and should be sufficient to help in relieving the chronic shortages which have prevailed in many areas since the end of the war.

Despite increased production in these areas, it is expected that import will remain high if rationing is to be lifted and the quality of bread improved. There is too, a wish on the part of these countries to build up their almost non-existent reserve stocks. In Asia, requirements for food grains will remain large, not only to supply bread, but to supplement the shortage of rice among the rice-consuming people.

To meet import demands for wheat during the crop year, it is expected that world exports may approach the 930 million bushels shipped in 1947-48. Of this amount it is probable that the four principal exporting countries — United States, Canada, Australia and Argentina will be able to supply at least 850 million bushels.

CONSTANTLY STUDY NEW FORAGE PLANTS

It is a striking fact that most of the cultivated forage crops in Canada are not native species that have been brought under cultivation, but have been introductions from other countries mainly in Europe and Asia. In fact the only two native cultivated grasses of any importance are Slender Wheat grass and Reed Canary grass. Such important and long-cultivated grasses and legumes as Timothy, Orchard grass, Brome grass, Crested Wheat grass, Alfalfa, Red Clover, Alsike and White Clover were originally introduced to Canada. These species have been subjected to natural selection under our particular climatic conditions and to improvement work by the plant breeder yielding new varieties considerably different from the original material.

Because introduced species form the backbone of Canada's cultivated forage crops, the Division of Forage Plants, Ottawa, says John M. Armstrong, has attached considerable importance to the maintenance of an Introduction Nursery where between 1,500 and 2,000 new introductions are grown and studied annually. Similar nurseries on a smaller scale are maintained at several Branch Farms and Stations. To sustain this flow of material contacts are maintained with the important Plant Breeding Stations throughout the world.

Naturally only a small fraction of the introductions received and tested in the Introduction Nursery show sufficient promise to warrant further trial and study by the plant breeder. In general, two points are kept in mind in screening out introductions. Firstly, material that can stand on its own merits and fill a useful niche somewhere under Canada's diversified soil and climatic conditions is considered. A recent introduction of this type is Ladino clover, which is proving useful in pasture mixtures where drought is not a limiting factor. Secondly, material is studied which, while not of value directly as a cultivated crop, possesses some particular character of value in a hybridization program. An example of this is Turkistan alfalfa which possesses high resistance to bacterial wilt and is being crossed with some of the hardy, adapted varieties which lack wilt resistance. Out of this breeding work carried on extensively at several Stations in Western Canada, it is hoped to develop new varieties combining the desired characters from both parents.



Good News

With the cost of living still climbing upwards, there is good news backing up in this nation's capital for those taxpayers who have been groaning about the load of taxes which they must carry since it is whispered loudly now that some relief in this respect is a relative certainty. When Finance Minister Abbott brought down his budget last Spring and allowed only \$73,200,000 in tax cuts in face of a record surplus of \$772,000,000, countless Canadians were extremely disappointed. However, at that time he estimated that this year's surplus would be about \$489,000,000 but it is learned now that this estimate will be exceeded by an unusually large margin, having been covered at least 90% or more at the end of the past month, though it is still far away from the end of the fiscal year next March 31.

Under these circumstances and in face of forecasts that the Government is waiting for real big tax cuts to be made just prior to the next general

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elections, it is whispered along Parliament Hill now that substantial tax relief is going to be provided in the next budget on account of the widespread demands, for such action, including recent clamor at the two national political gatherings here and the unexpectedly large surplus which has been obtained this year.

Confident of Success

There appears to be considerable confidence that the talks being held here between representatives of the Newfoundland delegation and the Canadian Government will end in success, though these talks are being held in camera as details are worked out to bring Newfoundland into confederation as soon as possible. It is evident that these discussions, expected to last several weeks at least, are going "well".

Significant Sidelight

It was only a comment but it has started something. When F. P. Varcoe, Deputy Minister of Justice pleaded a case on behalf of the Canadian Government before the Supreme Court of Canada here, he stated among other points that "the Fathers of Confederation had envisioned a more flexible constitutional instrument for Canada than the British North America Act had been permitted by the courts in past years", holding that Parliament rather than the courts should make constitutional changes.

"The United States constitution is being re-written by the United States

Supreme Court from time to time and our Privy Council has been doing pretty much the same thing for Canada as to our constitution," remarked Chief Justice Thibault Rinfret.

In view of the demands in Parliament in recent sessions for the abolition of appeals to the Privy Council in England and to make the Supreme Court here the last resort as well as the resolution passed at the national convention of the Liberal Party here favouring such a move, this comment has aroused much interesting speculation in the capital.

In Time for Session

The new leader of the Progressive Conservatives, Premier Drew of Ontario, is going to endeavour to be present as leader in the House of Commons of his party at the coming session, it is understood along Parliament Hill, though stories of his entry into the House through certain constitutionalities are discounted here. It is recognized that he will be very careful in choosing a riding for this purpose bearing in mind that a defeat would be a possible disaster for him personally. The case of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen in the by-election in York South on Feb. 9, 1942, is recalled when the Conservative leader's career was practically ended as the result of his defeat by J. W. Noseworthy of the C.C.F.

In any event, it is understood here that Premier Drew is planning to get into the House and that he will contest a seat in time to be leading his

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Sunday, October 24th, 1948
Anniversary Services—St. Andrew's
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—"The Invisible Church"
7.30 p.m.—"Amsterdam 1948"
Rev. Professor David Wm. Hay,
M.A., Knox College, Toronto, guest
speaker at both services. Special
music.
West Huntingdon—Service cancelled

Rawdon Circuit
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. H. C. Vachlavik — Minister
Sunday, October 24th, 1948
Bethel Anniversary, 11 a.m. and
7.30 p.m. Special music by the choir.
Mount Pleasant and Wellman's
withdrawn.

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. R. W. Barker, M.A., S.T.B.
Minister
Sunday, October 24th, 1948
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Baptismal Service
Carmel
1.45 p.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Worship Service

GRACE CHAPEL
Sunday, October 24th, 1948
10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2 p.m.—Gospel Bells Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and
Bible Study
Speaker:
David Kirk
(Just back from Ireland)

folk attended the Ploughing Match in
Lindsay last week.
Mrs. Blake Sharp recently enter-
tained Mrs. Albert Clements, Miss
Mary Clements and Master Larry Mc-
Master, of Ivanhoe, and Miss Eva
Barnes, of Newmarket.
Mr. Hugh MacNamara, Kilmount,
was a week end guest of Mr. and
Mrs. Eric Summers.
Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies and
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown visited Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur Brown in Peterboro-
ugh and Mr. Menzies also visited
Mr. Sandy Martin.
Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes attend-
ed the funeral of the former's aunt,
Mrs. George Holmes, at Queensboro.
Deceased was in her 89th year.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden, Stirling,
Mrs. B. Windsor Halliburton Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Bailey, Carmel, Mrs. Wm.
MacKenzie, Miss Hazel MacKenzie,
Burnbrae and Mrs. Alfred Merrills,
Campbellford, were recent guests of
Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Spencer.
Mr. and Mrs. George Bird, Douglas,
and Maurice and Miss E. Sine, of
Frankford, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brinklow
and Ronnie, Trenton, spent Sunday
with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Menzies.
Mrs. George Curry, of Belleville,
spent the week end with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. John Hay.
Miss Lillie Maitland, West Lake, is
holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. John
Holmes and other relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray White and Judy,
of Eldorado, visited Mr. and Mrs. Er-
nest White on Sunday and called on
the Stone family in the afternoon.
A special Harvest Home Service
was held at Mount Pleasant United
Church on Sunday evening. The
church was decorated with pumpkins,
apples, vegetables and a bower of col-
ourful maple leaves. The pastor gave
a special message for the occasion
on Thanksgiving to God for mercies
received.
Mr. Jack McEarthron visited Mr.
and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Mr. and
Mrs. Lincoln McEarthron, in Camp-
bellford, on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp recently
entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clarence
Douglas and family of Crookston.
On Sunday morning at 11 a.m., Mrs.
H. C. Vachlavik introduced Miss Maimie
Gollan, Toronto, to the Sunday
School and after her address Mrs.
John Holmes voiced the appreciation
of the group to the guest speaker.
Messrs. Blake Sharp and George
Weaver spent the week end in Tor-
onto and returned home by way of
the ploughing match at Lindsay.
Mrs. Ross Hoard, Mrs. John Hol-
mes, Mrs. Frank Jeffs, Mrs. Percy
MacMullen, Mrs. Bert Jeffs Mrs.
Frank Smith, Mrs. George Weaver,
Mrs. Blake Sharp, Mrs. Cyrus Sum-
mers, Mrs. Arthur Phillips and Rev.
H. C. Vachlavik attended the Rally at
Plainfield on Tuesday. Rev Vachlavik
took charge of the quiet half hour
and Mrs. MacMullen arranged the
panel discussion at the morning ses-
sion. Her assistants were, Mrs. Geo.

Priest, Foxboro, Mrs. Warren Har-
low, Eggleton, Mrs. Harry Ketch-
eson, Phillipston and Mrs. R. D. P.
Davidson, Belleville. This discussion
was on "How to enlist new mem-
bers; The importance of associate
members and of mission circles; How
auxiliaries can help Mission Bands;
What the W.M.S. has to offer its
members that other organizations do
not have; The need for each auxiliary
to strive to reach their allocation
plus expenses and How to combine
W.M.S. and W.A. meetings in small
rural groups. The ladies of Plain-
field served a most delicious dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard and Mrs.
Frank Smith attended St. Paul's an-
niversary and were guests of Mrs. N.
E. Eggleton and Miss Dorothy Eggle-
ton.

Springbrook
Congratulations to Miss Evva Bar-
ton and Mr. Roy Tucker who were
married on Monday evening at the
United Church parsonage at Stirling.
Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mason and
family and Mrs. Walter Potts visited
Mr. and Mrs. Murney Potts and Mr.
and Mrs. Harold Miller at Lindsay
on Sunday.
Miss Ruth Bain, Belleville, was a
recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Run-
nalls.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benson spent
a few days recently with relatives at
Fenelon Falls.

Miscellaneous Shower
A large crowd attended the misce-
laneous shower held in the hall on
Wednesday evening in honor of Mr.
and Mrs. Milton Wannamaker (nee
Jean Livingstone), Springbrook. Mr.
George Thompson very capably per-
formed the duties of chairman and
after a short programme of solos,
duets, readings and community sing-
ing an address was read by Mrs. Joe
Thompson. Jean and Milton each
thanked the people for the lovely
gifts. Lunch was served bringing a
pleasant evening to a close.
Mrs. Joe Wasik and Sharon spent
last Friday at Peterboro.

Minto
Ten of the members of St. Thomas
W.A. attended the Hastings Lavey
meeting held at Marmora on Thurs-
day, October 14th.
Mr. and Mrs. George Wood and
family, of Ivanhoe, visited Mr. and
Mrs. Will Wright on Sunday.
Sorry to report Mr. Wm. Martin
is on the sick list.
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barker and
boys, of Eldorado, and Mr. and Mrs.
Bill Morris, of Toronto, were Monday
evening visitors at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.
Mrs. Lorne Hagerman and Mrs.
Arnold Ray visited Mr. and Mrs. Ger-
ald Reid on Friday.
Several from this community at-
tended the Ploughing Match held at
Lindsay last week.
St. Thomas W.A. held a dinner and
quilting at the home of Mrs. J. B.
and Mrs. Lorne Hagerman.
Among those attending St. Paul's
Anniversary Services in Stirling Sun-
day were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sarges
and Mr. and Mrs. A. Twiddy and
family.

Bethel
Miss M. Gollan, Church of All Na-
tions, Toronto, was the guest speak-
er at the Bethel Sunday School on
Sunday.
Mrs. James Barron was a Thurs-
day guest of Mr. and Mrs. James
Warren.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warren spent
Saturday evening with Mrs. R. Town-

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Mount Pleasant
Mr. and Mrs. Will Potts were recent
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and Mrs. Sam Craig, Ottawa, and they
also spent a day with Mr. and Mrs.
Mac Remington, Newburgh, on their
way home.
Master Ivan Reide, Oak Hills, is
spending some time with his aunt,
Mrs. Burton Sharp.
Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers, Mrs.
Emma Summers and Mr. and Mrs. L.
Sharp and Ruth, Mount Pleasant, at-
tended St. Paul's Anniversary and
spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ham-
ilton Donnan and Mrs. James Sharp.
Miss Maimie Gollan of the Church
of All Nations, Toronto spent the
week end with Rev. and Mrs. H. C.
Vachlavik at Rawdon parsonage and
Miss Gollan gave an address at all
three appointments. In the morning
she addressed the Sunday schools at
Wellman's and Mount Pleasant and

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in the afternoon the Sunday School
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addressed a special Youth Rally in
Belleville and she also spoke in the
Stirling Schools.
Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes called
on Mrs. Frank Young Sunday after-
noon and were supper guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Walter Elliott and attended
St. Paul's Anniversary.
All of the ladies at Mount Pleasant
are invited to attend an "At Home"
at Hoards United Church on Wednes-
day afternoon October 27th.
Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen at-
tended St. Paul's Anniversary and
were dinner guests at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Sid Demorest where all
enjoyed a birthday dinner party. The
guests included Mr. and Mrs. Edward
Montgomery, of Foxboro.
Miss Olive Davidson, Stirling, was
a recent guest of Mrs. Marguerite
McMullen.
A large number of Mount Pleasant

send, of Belleville.
Miss Wendy Warren, of Stirling,
spent the week end with her grand-
parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Warren.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Warren, of
Frankford, were Saturday visitors at
the same home.
On Thursday the wood sawyers
were busy sawing for Mr. C. M. Sine.
A number from Bethel attended the
anniversary services at St. Paul's

Church, Stirling, and were pleased
to hear Rev. A. M. Lavery, guest
preacher.
Mr. C. Sutherland and Mrs. P. Mad-
den, of Napanee, are spending a few
days visiting Mrs. Henry Allen and
Melanie.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sine and Betty,
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Harris, of Ro-
chester, N.Y., spent several days last
week with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sine.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Thompson of
Stirling, spent Wednesday afternoon
with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warren
and family.
Miss Gertie McMullen, of Belleville
spent the week end with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. John McMullen.

Marsh Hill
Among those attending the Inter-
national Plowing Match near Lindsay
last week were Mr. and Mrs. Chas.
Ross, Mr. and Mrs. B. Blecker, Mr.
and Mrs. D. Hollinger, Mr. and Mrs.
Blake Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Alex
Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Finkle,
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coulter, Mr. Nor-
man Parks.
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thompson
and family, of Stockdale, were Sun-
day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas.
Ross and Raymond.
Mrs. Fred Heasman spent a few
days last week in Peterboro, and Mr.
Heasman and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heas-
man went up for Sunday.
Mrs. Berson Mitts spent the week
end with her daughter, Mrs. Tom
Riley in Belleville.
Among those from Chatterton W.M.
S. attending the Rally at Plainfield
on Tuesday were Mrs. W. Linden-
field, Mrs. Bartindale, Mrs. Hollinger,
Mrs. F. Finkle, Mrs. B. Finkle, Mrs.
Norman Parks, Mrs. Blecker, Mrs.
Mitts, Mrs. Hawley, Mrs. Campbell.

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The Annual Meeting and Convention of the Progressive Conservative Association of the Federal Riding of Hastings-Peterborough will be held in the

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Wednesday, Oct. 27th

for the election of officers, transacting of general business and the selecting of a candidate to represent the Party in the next Federal Election.

MR. GORDON GRAYDON, M.P., will be Guest Speaker

Mr. Geo. S. White, M.P., and others will address the meeting.

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Births

MACMULLEN—At General Hospital, Belleville, on Wednesday, October 20th 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Ormel E. MacMullen (nee Jean Small) Belleville, a daughter, a sister for David

MORROW—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morrow, Stirling, Ont., announce the arrival of their daughter, Ruth Anne, on October 9th, 1948.

Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank all those who kindly sent me cards, letters and fruit during my stay in Belleville General Hospital and since my return home. 1-1p Neva Vandervoort

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank my many kind friends and neighbours for cards, fruit, flowers, etc., received during my stay in Belleville General Hospital and also since my return home. 1-1p Mrs. Glen Morrow

West Huntingdon

Mr. Robert Gay attended the Young Peoples' Rally held at Peterboro over the week end.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart, of Lakefield, was in town this week and made numerous calls on old friends.

The young people of this district were pleased to know that a skating rink is to be built on Mr. Earl McMaster's property.

St. Andrew's Anniversary services were held on Sunday and were well attended, with Rev. M. W. Heslip, of Madoc, as guest minister. Those in attendance were most grateful for Rev. Heslip's helpful messages. Excellent music was provided by the choir.

Mrs. Sandy McCurdy attended the W.M.S. Rally held at Plainfield on Tuesday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sills were the Misses Lois Weaver, of Mount Pleasant, and Margaret Haggerty, Mrs. Lainsen and Mrs. Grant, of Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tummon, of Stirling, and Mr. G. Bush, of Oak Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McClure, of Brantford, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Barton Haggerty.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen, of Madoc Junction, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Fargy.

ENDEAVORS CLASS

The regular monthly meeting of the Endeavours Class was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fitchett. There was an extra good attendance and the Thanksgiving programme was much enjoyed. Mr. Howard Cooke presided over the meeting. Mr. Herb Burke, of Fuller, was present and conducted a sing song of old familiar hymns with Mrs. W. J. Fitchett at the piano.

Rev. Harold Burgess offered prayer and Arthur Wilson conducted the Bible discussion assisted by Miss Theda Moorcroft and Mr. Clifford Green. Miss Marilyn Fitchett delighted with a solo. Helpful readings were given by Mrs. Howard Cooke and Mr. Elmer Post.

The Class was pleased to have a former minister Mr. Kenneth Stewart, of Lakefield, present, who also gave a brief address.

The special address was given by Rev. Burgess who brought many helpful suggestions on Thanksgiving. Following the lengthy business period, in which the Class accepted the invitation to visit the Victory Class at Molra on the evening of November 11th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ketcheson, Mr. Clifford Green closed the meeting with prayer and Mrs. Fitchett, assisted by Miss Bessie Hollinger, served a bountiful lunch.

Oak Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kerr and Barry, Toronto, were guests of his mother, Mrs. Robt. Kerr, over the Thanksgiving week end.

Messrs. Wm. Detlor and Jim Campbell were among those in attendance at the International Plowing Match near Lindsay last week.

Miss Madeline Poole, Avondale, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Detlor, Douglas and Ralph, attended the Plowing Match on Thursday and then went to Muskoka and home on Saturday by way of Algonquin Park. The boys were much intrigued with the deer, 7 of which met them on the highway and graciously partook of all the apples in stock. They were very tame as were the partridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Maxwell spent the week end in Toronto and Orangeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Farley Lindenfield, Elaine and Carol, spent Sunday with friends at Holloway.

Between 40 and 50 attended the charivari on Monday evening given Mr. and Mrs. Gurnet Searles, who arrived home from their wedding trip on Friday. The usual amount of noise and fun prevailed and then lunch was served. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lynch and Mr. and Mrs. F. Clare, Belleville.

Madoc Junction

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen attended West Huntingdon Presbyterian Anniversary Sunday morning and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Fargy.

A larger number from here attended the ploughing match at Lindsay last week.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. John Cooke and family in their recent sudden and sad bereavement.

Mrs. Warren Harlow, Mrs. Harry Clarke, Mrs. Carl Brydges accompanied by Mrs. Alex McCurdy of West Huntingdon attended the Rally at Plainfield on Tuesday. The former assisted in the morning programme.

We are pleased to report Mr. Bruce Stapley recovered from his recent illness sufficiently to enable him to return to his home last Friday.

Wellmans

Mrs. Russell Johnson took dinner on Thursday with Mrs. Paul Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laine and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Andrews and family, of Norwood, Mr. Ross Laine, of N. Ham, visited Sunday at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Haggerty.

Mrs. Russell Johnson spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Burton Morton.

Quite a large number from Wellman's attended the Ploughing Match at Lindsay this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Todd and baby, Janice, were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chumbly and family, of Belleville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chumbly and family.

Friends at Wellman's are sorry to report that Mrs. Victor Taylor is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Bonarlaw

On Tuesday afternoon St. Mark's W.A. held a Pot Luck dinner and quilting in the parish hall with a good attendance. One quilt was completed.

Everett Heath suffered a painful accident on Tuesday when he had the fingers of one hand so badly crushed that it was necessary for him to go to Belleville Hospital and have part of one finger amputated.

Mount Pleasant W.M.S.

The October meeting of Mount Pleasant Woman's Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Weaver with eighteen members four visitors and four Baby Band members, one of them a little visitor from Kingston, present.

Mrs. John Holmes gave the call to worship and prayer. Mrs. Ross Hoard played quiet music and accompanied the Thanksgiving hymns. All read a psalm of Thanksgiving and the president gave an appropriate poem. The Treasurer reported almost one hundred and twenty-nine dollars remitted for nine months. Roll call was answered with keyword "Thanksgiving".

Mrs. Frank Smith and Mrs. Cyrus Summers were appointed delegates to Plainfield Rally. Plans were made for a quilting later in the month. The November meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Herb Smith and there will be a sale of homemade candy for the Baby Band. The offering was dedicated with the Doxology. Mrs. Percy MacMullen gave the "Highlights of the Presbyterian Executive" and stressed the need of assistance at this time to extend Christ's Kingdom in far distant lands.

Mrs. Kenneth Weaver gave a portion of the Study Book entitled "The Story Summarized". In the year 1892 eight Canadian missionaries sailed up the Yangtze River to this promised land "West of the Gorges". Mrs. Kilborn died soon after they reached Chengtu. The results of the first ten years were meagre but by 1912 ten stations were in operation with 90 out-stations. The total missionary force of the church and W.M.S. numbered one hundred. The next ten years was full of political unrest and then followed the great depression in Canada with decreased givings. In 1932, the sorely pressed Chinese church was ushered into eight years of devastating war. The Chinese church has suffered but there are many small groups with a deep religious experience and passionate devotion to Jesus Christ and these people are determined to help the missionaries build anew in China.

Mrs. Roy Thrasher presided over the Thanksgiving programme. She used the Worship Service in the September Monthly on the theme "The Word of Truth". Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Milford Wrightman and Mrs. Ross Jeffs read the Bible lessons. Mrs. Blake Sharp read a poem based on the theme, "If You Want to be Happy on Thanksgiving Day, Give Something Away". Mrs. Frank Jeffs gave a paper on "Thanksgiving" and "Every day should be a day of Thanksgiving to our Heavenly Father". Mrs. Marguerite McMullen sang "A Prayer of Thanksgiving". Mrs. Cyrus read a poem entitled "The Mother's Lecture" which told her son of various things for which he could give thanks to the Lord. Mrs. Allan Bailey closed the service with a beautiful prayer of Thanksgiving.

The hostess served homemade candy.

FRANKFORD MAN HURT IN CRASH NEAR PETERBORO

Bill Blecker, R.R. No. 2, Frankford, a passenger, received rib fractures and slight concussion in a collision about 7 p.m. on Friday last on No. 7 Highway, just east of Peterborough. Drivers of the cars were Harold S. Dier, R.R. No. 1, Corbyville, with whom Mr. Blecker was a passenger and Louis Horning, Aylmer St. Damage to the Dier car is about \$150, and an estimated \$75 to the Horning vehicle. Prov. Constable Emmett Crough investigated.

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ENGLISH JOURNEY

BY WALTER R. LEGGE

Article 12

I have not yet told anything about Blackpool, Lancashire, where we spent several days when we first arrived and again before we sailed.

Blackpool is one of the most popular resorts in England with a truly magnificent beach. It is essentially a place of amusement and has an enormous number of such things as penny arcades, and roller coasters.

It has one unique place of entertainment, The Tower, with theatre, aquarium, zoo, restaurants, and a truly magnificent ballroom.

A cousin, Raymond Legge is assistant curator paying special attention to the aquarium, as he is a specialist in knowledge of fish. The aquarium is quite an attraction with wonderful displays of unusual live fish both large and small. There are about 20 different kinds of marine fish, about the same number of varieties of fresh water fish, about 40 different kinds of tropical fish, and the total number is impossible to count. There is one sturgeon that has been there for over fifty years.

The zoo has a large collection of live animals and birds.

Blackpool is quite modern and has little to interest the antiquarian. We did, however, visit some interesting old places in the vicinity. Poulton-le-Fylde, only a few miles away has an interesting old church, and in the middle of the main street stands an old cross and the old public stocks.

Another day we took a bus to Manchester where there are many signs of bomb damage, and on to Styal which is a lovely old village situated in a beautiful section of Cheshire.

At Styal we were guests of an aunt of Mr. John Freeman, publisher of the Lakeshore News, of Poole, Claire.

At Blackpool we were guests of three aunts, (sisters of the late George Legge, of Granby), the eldest of whom celebrated her 90th birthday in July. They are all remarkably spry and accompanied us to Poulton-le-Fylde and on some other visits. Miss May Legge visited Granby forty years ago and has such vivid recollections of her trip that she was persuaded to write an account from memory which will shortly appear in The Leader-Mail.

We only spent two days in London on one of which I met Mr. Vere MacHutchin and was his guest for lunch at the Savoy.

In the lobby was Mr. Douglas Taylor, a past president of the Montreal

Kiwanis Club, who was in England arranging for a visit of Canadian Air Cadets.

After lunch we visited the Miner Rubber Co. offices in London. They are located on Southwark street and there is a splendid view from the roof of the building. St. Paul's Cathedral looms up not very far away and nearly everything between has been flattened by German bombs, and many bombs fell all around the Miner building. Every window was broken and many of them have not yet been replaced due to the difficulty in getting glass.

On the opposite side of the street before the war, stood the Morgue but that was completely demolished by a bomb.

One of the first things to catch the eye upon entering the office was a catalog of Miner goods which was printed in Granby at the Leader-Mail. There is a very fine display of Miner products in the show cases.

Canadians visiting England find many of the signs and expressions strange to them. Here are a few: "No Waiting" for (No Parking); "Halt" for "Stop" signs; "Left Luggage Room" over check rooms in station; "Enquiries" for "Information"; "Diversion" instead of "Detour".

One interesting sign in a tea room at Marlborough reads, "Persons bringing their own food will not be served" while there are many signs on vacant lots reading, "Tip No Rubbish" or "Tipping Rubbish Here is Forbidden".

An odd warning came over the loud speakers in Crews Station, "Train now ready to depart. Join the train please". Probably our calls in Canada of "All Aboard" of "Up in Front Please, En Avant s'il vous plait" would sound just as peculiar to strangers. In England, nearly all the bus drivers call out when the bus is ready to start, "Hold Tight", but it usually sounds like "All Tight".

Before closing this series of articles, I think I should make some comment on the English government and the way it is working, as from the large number of questions I have been asked, there is much interest in Canada in that subject.

The government in England today is socialism to a degree that few Canadians can realize, and it is gradually controlling everybody's life.

My observations were formed from travelling around England and staying with people and talking with

them, and not from living in hotels and interviewing officials who naturally would try to paint a rosy picture.

Actually, I did not find anyone who had a good word to say for the government, but it must be remembered that such people did not vote for it in the first place.

One retired gentleman told me that it was difficult to find anyone who would admit that they voted for the Labour government, yet it was his opinion that they would be re-elected again.

The government was elected by the large mass of labourers who expected that all their troubles would be ended. They have not got what they expected, but they still think they are better off. Actually it is a debatable subject, for although their wages have been much augmented, the taxes and high cost of everything has probably eaten up the increase.

Even if the lower class is better off, the middle and upper classes are definitely much worse off than they ever were before.

I was struck by the fact that the government is apparently more interested in trying to prevent anyone from making a profit, and in taking money away from anyone who has it, than in trying to improve conditions. The government debates when I was over there were confined principally to the nationalizing of doctors and health services and the abolition of capital punishment.

It seemed to me that socialism there is bound to fail. One reason is that the people do not act as they should in theory. No one seems to be anxious to make sacrifices for the good of the state, but instead they are only interested in getting more money for doing less.

The way in which labourers are working is astonishing to a Canadian. None of them seem to be putting any heart into their efforts. Many firms and industries are compelled not only to give time for afternoon tea, but also to furnish the tea, for which they are allowed special rations.

Employers have little or no control over their employees, and would not dare reprimand them for even flagrant carelessness. As one man expressed it, "workers formerly had two incentives, first, to improve themselves and their position, and second, to avoid being dismissed. Now both these incentives are gone".

Another reason why the system does not work well, is the way in which officials, of which there are no end, are not willing or able to accept responsibility, but must tie everything up in red tape.

So many things are under permits,

that all initiative or aggressiveness is stifled. I encountered many instances of foolish obstructions being placed in the way of improvements.

One of the most remarkable pieces of legislation passed by the Labour government is the land act, which is designed to prevent anyone from making any profit on the sale of real estate. It will have the effect of drying up business in real estate.

To my mind, the most serious result of the experiment in socialism will be the deterioration of the moral fibre of the people. The English people always were the most conscientious people in the world, but all this socialism will breed a nation with less respect for the law. The United States found that the "noble experiment" in prohibition resulted in a serious let-down in respect for all laws, and the same thing is beginning to appear in England.

This may be seen in growth of black markets in a country where black markets formerly were an abhorrence. Gasoline restrictions have caused people to evade the regulations to the point where unusually severe punishment it meted out to violators, but it just seems to increase the attempts to get around the law. A recent news despatch reported that shoplifting cases in England in 1947 were up 40 per cent over 1946.

None of these may be serious in themselves, but it illustrates a trend which is the outcome of too many and too onerous regulations.

In regard to the future, there is the feeling that England will muddle through, and history would seem to bear that out, for there is a certain similarity between the government of Cromwell and that of the present Labour government. Cromwell was out to suppress the churches because he thought they had too much power and money. The present government is out to suppress the so-called capitalists because it thinks they have too much power and money.

The imprint of the Cromwell regime is still to be seen in England, and the imprint of the Labour government will remain for many years, but I still think that the English people have too much common sense to allow this government to stay in office for long.

In closing this series of articles, I would sum up by saying that to my mind, England is one of the most interesting and beautiful countries in the world to visit, but it is no place to live under present conditions. This seems to be the opinion of a great many in England, for everywhere I went, I found people anxious to move out to Canada, Australia, Africa, and the United States. Many of them are only deterred from going on account of the fact that they cannot take money out of the country. Too many feel that it is a hopeless situation, but most people still live in the expectation that conditions will improve.

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party when the next session gets underway, probably towards the end of January, with gossip behind the scenes on Parliament Hill being that we will have a fight on his hands in this contest as both Liberals and C.C.F. are said to be ready to oppose him.

Political Implication

If External Affairs Minister "Mike" Pearson is successful in the Algoma East election on Oct. 25, it may mark the start of a career which might make him a new strong contender to succeed Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, now 66, is new leader of the Liberal Party, according to a story heard behind the scene in this capital where impartial observers say that Mr. Pearson, now 51, is heading for this post and that is one of the reasons he gave up the certainty of his top civil service job for the uncertainty of political life.

Restore Trade

An important step towards restoring two-way trade with the Allied-occupied Western German sector has been taken by the Canadian Government which has sent orders to collectors of customs and excise across Canada indicating that henceforth most-favoured nation tariff rates will apply to that part of Germany. This is interpreted here as inferring that Canada's trade with the ex-enemy country is gradually being increased so that you may expect more goods in this country from Germany, though so far Canadian exports far exceed imports there. Close to half a million dollars worth of goods were imported from Western Germany in the first six months of this year.

Said in the Capital

"I dare to hope that the result of (Continued on Page 7)

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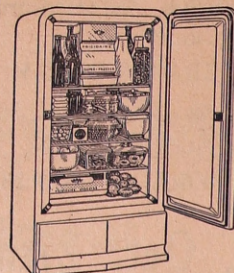
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our labours will commend itself to the vast majority of the people of Newfoundland as well as to most of those who are already Canadians," said Acting Premier St. Laurent to the six-man Newfoundland group which met Cabinet ministers and officials for discussions here.

"Today there is no man in Canada with the possible exception of a Communist, who wants war," stressed Maj.-Gen. E. G. Weeks, Adjutant General, in address here.

"Competition confined to ex-service

candidates, however meritorious their service with the forces, would not necessarily produce all the people best qualified to be civil servants," Sir Percival Waterfield, Britain's First Commissioner of the Civil Service Commission, told a meeting in this capital.

"We can begin today to lay the foundation of an organization which will be a powerful factor in the spread of education in Canada," said H. O. McCurry, president of the National Gallery in emphasizing the value of museums in this country.

"Although pensions are the most significant items financially in assist-

ance to the blind, the most important long-range task is blindness prevention," Hon. Paul Martin, Health Minister, declared here.

Weekly Wind-Up

"Our pay structure must be reformed for the three services and is under consideration by the Minister of National Defence," hinted a top-ranking official of this Department.

Demand for U.S. dollars to travel for pleasure has fallen so much in recent weeks that the customs staff at border points is being reduced, it is suggested.

With the cost-of-living still climbing up, civil servants in this capital

are showing signs of worrying about how to make the ends meet because a majority of them are not what one could call highly-paid workers, with this being the reason why they want a monthly living bonus since this would aid their efficiency and morale.

The famous "Red Dean", Very Rev. Hewless Johnson, Dean of Canterbury, is coming to Ottawa next month for a lecture here, though he was refused entry into the U.S. recently.

Rumours that the Progressive-Conservative national convention here which chose Premier Drew as leader was "packed" or "rigged" are ridiculed by those who know in this capital

where such rumours are termed "old stuff".

A British Wool Mission is going to tour Canada for three weeks to study the changing conditions in this country, starting its tour this month.

The 53,000 fires across Canada last year cost 400 lives and \$57,000,000 in damages, said an expert during an address here.

The difficulty of getting young Canadians to train as tradesmen now was cited here at a meeting of the Vocational Training Advisory Council which was attended by educationalists from many sections of Canada with the three-day meeting hearing

school now were willing to for trade training and take unskilled work. This is probably due to conditions.

Canada has ordered 200,000 Australian pineapples this year and half of the order has already shipped, it is learned.

The agent was dictating a letter when he paused a moment to consider use of a phrase. For a moment he wrinkled his brow.

"Miss Simpson, do you 'retire' loan?"

Miss Simpson let her eyes drop demurely. "No, sir, I sleep with my mama."

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PART I WATER HEATERS

- 1.-(1) Unless water heaters operated by electrical power are—
 - (a) equipped with thermostatic control, and
 - (b) installed in or on tanks which are thermally insulated,
 no municipality or municipal commission receiving electrical power from the Commission shall supply or use or permit to be supplied or used by any person the electrical power or any part thereof for the operation of water heaters installed or replaced after the 1st of November, 1948.
- (2) No person shall take from any municipality or municipal commission any electrical power received from the Commission and use it for the operation of water heaters in a manner contrary to the provisions of subregulation 1.
- (3) No person shall take any electrical power procured from the Commission and use it for the operation of water heaters in a manner contrary to the provisions of subregulation 1.

2. Ontario Regulations 237/47 are revoked.

PART II SPACE HEATERS

- 3.-(1) No municipality or municipal commission receiving electrical power from the Commission shall supply or use or permit to be supplied or used by any person electrical power or any part thereof for the operation of air-heaters, grates, radiators, boilers or any other device for space heating in hotels, tourist cabins, shops, offices, commercial premises and, except in the case of sickness, residences.
- (2) No person shall take from any municipality or municipal commission any electrical power received from the Commission and use it in a manner contrary to the provisions of subregulation 1.
- (3) No person shall take any electrical power procured from the Commission and use it in a manner contrary to the provisions of subregulation 1.

PART III LIGHTING

- 4.-(1) No municipality or municipal commission receiving electrical power from the Commission shall supply or use or permit to be supplied or used by any person electrical power or any part thereof for,—
 - (a) lighting, of interiors of shops, show-windows and offices except,—
 - (i) not more than 1 watt per square foot of gross floor-area of a shop during business hours,

- and after cessation of business with the public not more than 1 watt per square foot of the gross floor-area of that part of the shop where the staff is working;
- (ii) not more than 10 watts per lineal foot of width of show-windows of shops for lighting only and only while open for business;
- (iii) not more than 2 watts per square foot of gross floor-area of an office during office hours, and after office hours not more than 2 watts per square foot of gross floor-area of that part of the office where the staff is working;
- (iv) for the protection of property after business hours not more than 5 watts per 100 square feet of gross floor-area of a shop or office or 40 watts per shop or office whichever is the greater;
- (b) lighting of exterior signs;
- (c) exterior flood- or outline-lighting for decorative, ornamental or advertising purposes;
- (d) lighting of out-door Christmas trees;
- (e) lighting of parking-lots, used-car lots, service stations, out-door industrial premises and out-door playing fields except,—
 - (i) not more than 10 watts per 100 square feet of parking-lot space while open for business;
 - (ii) not more than 10 watts per 100 square feet of that portion of used-car lots used for display space while open for business and not more than 5 watts per 100 square feet of the used-car lot after cessation of business;
 - (iii) not more than 40 watts per gasoline pump in a service station, exclusive of lighting not exceeding 25 watts inside the pump-meter compartment, while the service station is open for business;
 - (iv) not more than 10 watts per 100 square feet of whatever part or parts of out-door industrial premises is in actual use for work in progress and not more than 5 watts per 100 square feet at other times and not more than 5 watts per 100 square feet for protective lighting of that part actually occupied by installations, or used for the storage of materials or equipment; and
 - (v) not more than 40 watts per 100 square feet of playing area of an out-door playing field only while in use;
- between sunset and sunrise;
- (f) lighting of,—
 - (i) marquees; or
 - (ii) sidewalk-canopies on hotels, theatres and restaurants except not more

- than 1 watt per square foot of floor space or sidewalk area covered by the marquee or canopy;
- (g) lighting of exterior entrances or exits of commercial premises or residences except not more than 60 watts for commercial premises and not more than 25 watts for residences and, where occupied, tourist cabins; and
- (h) exterior lighting between sunrise and sunset.
- (2) The lighting permitted for shops during business hours under sub-clauses i and ii of clause a of subregulation 1 shall include the lighting of interior signs, merchandise-displays and show-windows.
5. No person shall take from any municipality or municipal commission any electrical power received from the Commission and use it in a manner contrary to the provisions of subregulation 1 of regulation 4.
6. No person shall take any electrical power procured from the Commission and use it in a manner contrary to the provisions of subregulation 1 of regulation 4.
7. Subregulation 1 of regulation 4 and regulations 5 and 6 shall not apply to,—
 - (a) (i) lighting of air-ports and transportation terminals;
 - (ii) lighting for police, fire and property-protection services, traffic lights, traffic and warning signs; and
 - (iii) lighting required by law;
 - (b) hospitals;
 - (c) lighting for interior domestic purposes;
 - (d) lighting of a single exterior sign, not exceeding 25 watts, to designate,—
 - (i) an office of a medical or dental practitioner, embalmer or funeral director, or pharmacist, or
 - (ii) an ambulance, telephone or telegraph station, or
 - (iii) premises providing sleeping accommodation for travellers.

PART IV

8. In these regulations,—
 - (a) "shop" means any building or a portion of a building, booth, stall or place where goods are handled or exposed or offered for sale, or where goods are manufactured and which is not a factory, but shall not include any part of a building used for office purposes; and
 - (b) "office" shall mean a building or part of a building occupied and used for office purposes only.

PENALTY PROVIDED BY THE POWER COMMISSION ACT FOR VIOLATION OF REGULATIONS

Any person refusing or neglecting to comply with any direction, order, regulation, restriction, prohibition or control made or exercised by the Commission under this section shall be guilty of an offence and in addition to any other liability incur a penalty of not less than \$100 and not more than \$500 and a further penalty of not less

than \$100 and not more than \$500 for each and every separate day upon which such refusal or neglect is repeated or continued.

The penalties imposed by or under the authority of this section shall be recoverable under *The Summary Convictions Act*.

MODIFICATION OF REGULATIONS AS TO CERTAIN AREAS

The foregoing Regulations are modified by excepting from the application of Parts II and III thereof the following,—

- (a) the territorial districts of Algoma, Cochrane, Kenora, Manitoulin, Nipissing, Rainy River, Sudbury, Thunder Bay, Timiskaming;
- (b) the territorial district of Parry Sound, except the

townships of Carling, Christie, Conger, Cowper, Ferguson, Foley, Humphrey, McDougall and McKellar, the Town of Parry Sound, and the Village of Rosseau.

(c) exhibitions and fairs held in 1948 by societies under *The Agricultural Societies Act*.

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The October meeting of Eggleston W.M.S. and W.A. was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. Wannamaker with 12 adults and three children present.

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was sung, with Miss H. Stapley as organist, after the call to worship had been given by the president, Mrs. Carl Bridges. Rev. Burgess led in prayer and Psalm 100 was read by Mrs. Burgess.

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Thanksgiving readings were given by Mesdames Charles Stapley, Hugh McMullen, Harry Clarke, W. Harlow, Miss Hilda Stapley.

Rev. Burgess gave an interesting and instructive talk on Thanksgiving. Mrs. H. McMullen offered her home for the November meeting with Mrs. C. Stapley, and Mrs. C. Fitchett.

Correspondence including a letter from Mr. Kenneth Stewart, of Lakefield, was read thanking W.M.S. and W.A. members for gifts and kindnesses shown his mother during her illness. The W.M.S. Sectional Rally was held at Plainfield on October 18. The Study Book was to be purchased by Mrs. W. Harlow. The Hallowe'en Concert that had been planned was cancelled. A Thankoffering was taken.

Mrs. Bridges thanked the hostess and those taking part in the programme. After the closing hymn was sung Mrs. Bridges closed with prayer.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Wannamaker and the usual social time enjoyed.

Leg Broken

William Bishop, Marmora truck driver, suffered a broken left leg Friday while working at Malone on the property of William Long. Assisting with skidding a log, he was struck by it. Brought to Marmora, he was later taken to hospital at Belleville where the leg was set.

Goes to Warkworth

R. F. Jolliffe, M.D., who has been associated with Dr. W. W. Baker, Campbellford for the past two years is moving to Warkworth where he has purchased the late Dr. C. Armstrong's practice.

Dr. Jolliffe graduated from Western University in 1941 and during the war he served with the R.C.A.F. for four years.

Campbellford Home Destroyed By Fire

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis, Campbellford, sustained a heavy loss over the week end when their small frame house, household effects and personal belongings were completely destroyed by fire. The flames had gained such headway before the alarm was received that firemen were unable to save the dwelling.

Farm Premier Is Sworn In; Shuffle Posts

A Dixie farmer became Premier of Ontario Tuesday when Thomas Laird Kennedy was sworn in as the successor to George Alexander Drew.

In withdrawing from the government he formed in 1943, Mr. Drew left vacant the education portfolio. He was accompanied in his retirement by Provincial Secretary Roland Michener.

Three ministers were involved in the cabinet reorganization that followed.

Planning Minister Dana Porter relinquished that portfolio to become minister of education and provincial secretary.

Travel Minister Arthur Welsh gave up that post to become minister of planning and development.

Hon. Louis P. Cecil, minister without portfolio, succeeded Mr. Welsh as minister of travel and publicity.

The other cabinet ministers retained their previous portfolios. They are:

Provincial Treasurer and Mines Minister Leslie Frost; Attorney-General Leslie Blackwell; Hydro Minister Geo. Chalmers; Highways and Public Works Minister George Doucet; Municipal Affairs and Reform Institutions Minister George Dunbar; Labor Minister Charles Daley; Health Minister Russell Kelley; Welfare Minister William Goodfellow; Lands Minister Harold Scott and Chief Liquor Commissioner William Griesinger.

The oaths of office were read by Clerk of the Executive Council Allan Stewart and sworn to by the individual ministers in the presence of the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. Ray Lawson.

The elevation of Mr. Kennedy to the premiership was a climax to the 30 years' service which the friendly and likeable 70-year farmer has given to the province. Elected to the legislature in 1919, he has been a member since that time with the exception of one brief spell between 1934-37 when the late Duncan Marshall represented Peel.

With his resignation, Mr. Drew will now devote himself to his new duties as national leader of the Progressive-Conservative Party. One of his first tasks is to obtain a seat in the House of Commons in time for the next session.

Mr. Michener, who was defeated in the June election, plans to return to practising law with his old firm of Lang, Michener, Day and Cranston. At the same time he will assist Mr. Drew in the party's organizational work throughout the Dominion and prepare to contest a seat in the next federal election.

Mr. Kennedy retained the portfolio of Agriculture. He will remain as Premier until a convention is called to choose a new leader in the place of Mr. Drew. This is not expected to be held until after the next session.

Mr. Porter, a 47-year-old Toronto lawyer, is considered to be a "dark horse" in the contest for the leadership.

Mr. Welsh, whose nickname is "Tiger," is 51 and lives in Sunderland. He established an enviable record in combat service during two wars.

Mr. Cecil, at 43, is the youngest member of the cabinet. He is a lawyer from Hawkesbury.

NOTICE

Dr. Ralph W. Vandervoort wishes to announce that during the existing power shortage his office hours will be changed to 9 a.m.-2 p.m. and 4-6 p.m. and Tuesday and Saturday evenings only, from 7.30 to 10 o'clock.

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Night Classes In Shop Work Are To Be Held At Stirling High School

Open to the Young Men of Community; English & Citizenship Course for D.P.'s

Night classes in Farm Mechanics and General Shop work for the young men of the Village and surrounding community will again be sponsored by the Stirling Board of Education at the local High School during the winter months. Mr. C. A. Wells told the members of the Board at their monthly meeting on Monday night that he had had numerous inquiries concerning the course, of which he will again have charge. A fee of \$5.00 per person will be charged, with a rebate of \$2.00 to those attending 75% or more of the classes. The fee is payable at the time of enrolment.

The organization of the class which will open November 1st, was left to Mr. Wells, and the secretary was instructed to make application to the Deputy Minister of Education for permission for holding the course.

The meeting was presided over by Chairman C. I. Hutton, who was supported by Ewart Bailey, H. R. Tompkins, J. B. Belshaw, M. J. Black, R. E. Fox, C. E. Macklin, R. A. Patterson and Dr. E. A. Carleton.

Night Classes

For D.P.'s

The Board of Education will also foster night classes in basic English and Citizenship for the displaced persons who are employed by farmers in the community, providing the attendance does not fall consistently below 10. Principal J. L. Good of the High School will have charge of the class.

Principal C. A. Wells presented a number of requests, for supplies, including flower pots, report cards, 40 books, "High Roads to Music" and a 3-yr. subscription to "Industrial Arts and Craft". On motion of Messrs. M. J. Black and C. E. Macklin the requests were granted.

Principal J. L. Good of the High School reported that he had been requested by officials to take charge of a course in basic English and citizenship for displaced persons under the same arrangements as last year. The Board decided to again sponsor the course. The opening of the course awaits further word from officials.

The annual High School Commencement will be held on Tuesday, November 30th, with Principal Wallace, of Queen's University as the speaker, according to an announcement by Principal Good.

A request for the purchase of auxiliary lights for use in the laboratory during the Hydro blackout was left in the hands of the property committee.

The purchase of equipment for use by Mr. Mahon, in the Science department, was authorized on motion of Dr. E. A. Carleton and R. A. Patterson.

A grant of \$10 to Mr. J. L. Good to help defray his expenses to Toronto to attend a High School Principals' Regional Conference was authorized.

Property Committee
Reporting for the property committee, Mr. J. B. Belshaw outlined some needed repairs made at the Public School and listed a number of requests from Miss Muirhead, teacher of Home Economics. The matter was left in the hands of the property committee with power to act.

R. A. Patterson, chairman of Finance Committee, presented the following accounts for payment:

Public School — Miss N. Montgomery, \$1.50; Mrs. Don Rodgers, supply teacher, \$20.00; J. C. McGee, \$14.85; Hatton Hardware, \$49.94; R. A. Hermiston, \$12.00; Bateman's Ladies' Wear, \$4.84; J. B. Belshaw, \$5.85; Stirling Lumber Co., \$12.00; Geo. Noble, \$4.90.

High School — Mrs. Gordon Bailey, supply teacher, \$20.00; Stirling News-Argus, \$15.50; Hatton Hardware, \$236.60; J. C. McGee, \$11.20; National Geographic, \$6.00; J. M. Mahon, \$12.84; Bell Telephone, \$7.56; Dominion Store, \$3.22; Cairns Shoe Store, \$2.05; R. A. Hermiston, \$12.86; Singer Sewing Machine Co., \$7.95; Kilgours, \$60.50; Book Society of Canada, \$2.43; James Texts, \$8.04; W. A. Sutherland, \$8.95; J. L. Good, \$7.29; J. M. Dent and Sons, \$12.86; Tilsonburg School of Nature, \$8.20; Geo. Noble, \$13.09.

The matter of the caretaker's salary was discussed at some length and

Observes 80th Birthday

Congratulations are extended Mrs. Mary J. Seeley, who quietly celebrated her 80th birthday on Tuesday at the home of her son, Mr. Orrie Seeley, with whom she resides on North St. The occasion was marked by a birthday dinner, arranged by Mrs. Orrie Seeley, and a number of friends were guests. A large birthday cake, bearing eighty candles, centred the table.

Despite her years, Mrs. Seeley enjoys good health and is keenly interested in the current events of the day. Her many friends join in wishing her many more happy birthdays.

Madoc Legion Hallowe'en Ball

Madoc Legion will hold a Hallowe'en Ball in Madoc Armouries on Monday next, November 1st. Music will be provided by Bobby Kinsman's Club Aragon Orchestra, of Peterborough. Prizes will be given for costumes and everyone is assured of plenty of fun.

Funeral of Late Mrs. Eva Dracup

On Saturday afternoon the funeral of Mrs. Eva Dracup, late residence, 36 Betes Street, Belleville was held from the Quinte Memorial Chapel, 210 Church Street. The service there and at Stirling Cemetery was conducted by the Rev. F. R. Harbeck, minister of the Tabernacle United Church.

The bearers were her five sons, Reginald Dracup, Charles Dracup, Harold Dracup, John Dracup, Ray Dracup and a son-in-law, Thomas Colden.

Bag 15 Wolves In 6 Weeks

Wolves are increasing so much in the Campbellford area that they are a real menace to sheep growers. Charles Gordanier and Gary Colden, of Bonarlaw, displayed five dead ones in Campbellford which they had caught early Tuesday morning. Gordanier and Colden are experienced trappers, having bagged 15 within the past six weeks.

STUDENT COUNCIL HOLD FIRST SOCIAL EVENING

On Wednesday evening, October 20, the students and teachers of Stirling High School enjoyed the first Students' Council evening of the season.

The program started at 8 o'clock when the Grade 13 students, with old-fashioned costumes on backwards, gave a version of a square dance. Grade 12 students then gave a skit, "The Family Album", with all the members dressed as their ancestors. Grade 11 presented an enjoyable skit entitled "Dad's Quiet Evening At Home". Grade 10 contributed a recitation by Patricia Pollock, followed by a group of girls singing "I'm a Lonely Little Petunia in an Onion Patch".

The program came to an end when Grade 9's portion to it consisted of a song by Bryce Philp, a recitation by Barbara Fargey, and a group of girls singing "Sweet Genevieve".

After the main portion of the evening, lunch of doughnuts and soft drinks was served, and dancing to records was enjoyed by all.

At midnight, everyone went home feeling tired but happy, and hoping that there would be many more evenings such as this during the school term.

It was moved by Dr. E. A. Carleton and seconded by H. R. Tompkins that commencing November 1st, Mr. J. Irish be paid \$140.00 per month, providing his work is satisfactory with Mr. J. B. Belshaw, chairman of Property Committee, as supervisor.

Don Heath Heads Stirling I.O.O.F.

Officers Were Installed Last Night By Brother Percy Sherwin, D.D.G.M.

The officers of Stirling Lodge, No. 239, I.O.O.F. were duly installed last night by Bro. Percy Sherwin, of Campbellford, District Deputy Grand Master of Madoc District No. 45, and his staff of Officers. There was a good attendance of members including a number of visitors from Springbrook Lodge.

Members of the installing team were D.D.G. Marshal, T. Craighead; D.D.G. Warden, Chas. Palliser, D.D.G. R. Secretary, H. Petherick; D.D.G. F.S. Morley Tanner; D.D.G. Treas., R. Stevens; D.D.G. Chaplain, G. Kellogg; D.D.G.I.G., E. Haig; D.D.G.O.G., C. Barton, and D.D.G. Master, Percy Sherwin.

The following officers were installed:

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N.G.—Don Heath
V.G.—Earl Wallace
R.S.—R. E. Fox
F.S.—E. T. Ward
Treasurer—W. Warren
Conductor—K. Belcour
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I.G.—Ed. Warren
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Following the installation ceremony short addresses were given by members of the installation team and others. Refreshments and a social hour brought a pleasant evening to a close.

Successful Supper

The Anniversary Dinner served by the ladies of St. Andrew's Church, on Tuesday evening was a decided success. The tables were well laden with all the good things to eat and close to four hundred persons were served with a minimum of confusion and promptness. President Mrs. A. Hammond and her helpers are to be congratulated on the success which attended their efforts.

Held Perfect Cribbage Hand

The dream of every cribbage player, a perfect hand, was realized by Mr. J. E. Salisbury, Front St., recently. Playing with his brother-in-law, Mr. Ed. Burling, of Belleville, Mr. Salisbury was dealt three fives and the Jack of Hearts and cut the five of hearts for the 29-point hand. "I've often come close," said Mr. Salisbury, "but this is the first perfect hand I've ever held."

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Miss Marie Ackers, of Campbellford, spent the week-end at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Colven were renewing acquaintances in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coles, of Shannonville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kent.

Mrs. Allan Johnston and son, Kenneth, were guests at Mrs. C. A. McConnell's on Sunday.

Miss Laura Montgomery, of Cobourg, was a week end guest of her sister, Miss Nellie Montgomery.

Mr. Will Pearson and son, Carman, of Camrose, Alta., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barker.

Mr. Wm. Vardy, of Maynooth, spent the week end with his wife and children at their home here.

Guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott were Mrs. N. E. Eggleton and daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. Nina Morton and Mrs. Nora Westcott.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stapley were Mr. Fred Stapley, of Airdrie, Alberta and Mrs. J. E. Salisbury, Mrs. G. L. Clute, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Legrow.

Tuesday callers at Wm. Vardy's were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Edwards and Deanna, of Bonarlaw, Mr. Thos. Hanrahan, of Marmora and Miss Gladys Russell, of Maple Leaf.

Rev. A. J. Anderson Inducted Rector

Right Rev. J. Lyons, M.A., D.D., Lord Bishop of Ontario Officiated at Service

St. John's Anglican Church was well filled last night for the induction of Rev. A. J. Anderson as Rector of St. John's Church, Stirling, Trinity Church, Frankford, and St. Thomas Church, Rawdon. The impressive service was conducted by the Right Reverend John Lyons, M.A., D.D., of Kingston, the Lord Bishop of Ontario assisted by the clergy of the Diocese including, Ven. Archdeacon F. A. Smith, B.A., Belleville; Rev. Rural Dean, J. M. Brownlie, S.Th. Marmora; Rev. A. S. McConnell, M.B.E., L.Th., Trenton; Canon W. E. Kidd, M.A., M.C., Deseronto; Rev. Rural Dean J. G. Sparling, L.Th., Belleville; Rev. C. Caldwell, Shannonville; Rev. A. W. Smith, Madoc; Rev. F. C. Beazer, Roslin; Rev. C. Wright, Bancroft; Rev. W. J. M. Swan, Portsmouth; Rev. F. Downing, Tweed.

Following the opening hymn, the Bishop read the mandate of induction and further in the service the incumbent knelt before the Bishop, who delivered to the incumbent the letters of the institution and the license, and presented him with the Bible and the Book of Common Prayer and gave him his blessing. The Bishop then inducted Rev. A. J. Anderson into the real, actual and corporal possession of the church, with all the rights, privileges and emoluments thereto.

Following the ceremony of induction, a reception was held in the parish hall, for Rev. and Mrs. Anderson and the Lord Bishop and Mrs. Lyons. Little Barbara Woodbeck presented Mrs. Anderson with a bouquet of roses, while Margaret Morrow made the presentation of a corsage to Mrs. Lyons. Dainty refreshments were served by the ladies of the three congregations and a social hour enjoyed. Tea was poured by Mrs. Caskey of Frankford, and Mrs. Henry Cooke, of Stirling.

To Open Men's Store In Campbellford

Arrangements were completed this past week by Mr. A. K. Stinson for the opening of a gents' furnishings store in Campbellford in the near future. Workmen are still busy in the construction of the premises and as soon as the work is completed, Mr. Stinson will take possession.

Stirling and district friends of Mr. and Mrs. Stinson, the latter's mother, Mrs. Bradburn, and Miss Helen Stinson, will learn with regret of their coming departure from the village, as they have made a host of friends since coming here a number of years ago, but all join in wishing them every success in the future.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Observes 92nd Anniversary

Pulpit Fall Dedicated

At the morning service on Sunday, a beautiful pulpit fall, presented to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in memory of the late Archie B. McGee, by his wife, Mrs. Maude McGee, was dedicated by Rev. W. H. V. Walker, minister. During the impressive service, Mr. Walker paid tribute to the late Mr. McGee as a devoted member of St. Andrew's and voiced the appreciation of the Church Session for the beautiful gift.

Miss Muirhead Addresses Club At St. Andrew's

Miss I. Muirhead, local High School teacher, was the guest speaker at the meeting of St. Andrew's Club held in the Church on Monday evening. Mr. George Crown presided, Miss Marilyn Eggleton filled the duties of secretary and Miss Doreen Fox read the scripture lesson.

Introduced by Mrs. Don McIntosh, Miss Muirhead gave an interesting talk on her trip to Quebec and the Canadian West. Her address, accompanied by illustrations, took the form of a kaleidoscope picture of Quebec, also the interesting features in buildings and French life. The lakes and mountains were the main features of her talk on the Canadian West, which dealt particularly with the area around Banff, which is the headquarters of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Both of these topics included personal happenings of interest during her trip. Misses Doreen and Mary Agnes Fox, accompanied by Miss Marilyn Eggleton at the piano, sang two typical French songs. Mr. George Crown thanked Miss Muirhead for her address which everyone enjoyed.

During the business portion of the meeting it was moved by Ernest Cain and seconded by James Johnston that St. Andrew's Club donate \$20.00 as a thankoffering to the Church.

At the close of the meeting everyone was reminded of the Hallowe'en social evening on Monday, November 1st, at which everyone is to be in costume.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley, Stirling, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Hilda Eileen, to Thomas Robert, only son of Mrs. Thomas Reid, and the late Mr. Reid, of Bonarlaw; the marriage to take place at their home the middle of November.

In Hospital

W. E. Tummon, of Foxboro, secretary-treasurer of the Ontario Hog Producers' Association, is a patient at General Hospital, Toronto, where he underwent a recent operation.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE AT ST PAUL'S SUNDAY A.M.

A special baptismal service was conducted by Rev. R. W. Barker at St. Paul's United Church on Sunday morning.

Those baptized were Margaret Jane Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Bailey; Dorothy Elaine Barlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barlow; Frederick McIntosh Heasman, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Heasman; Richard Desmond Jackman and Douglas Arthur Jackman, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Jackman; Myles Stewart McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan McDonald; Bruce Ivan Sine and Barbara Alma Sine, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Sine; Cheryl Jean Utman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Utman; Karen Elizabeth Vandervoort, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Vandervoort; Mabel Elaine Vandervoort, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vandervoort; Marian Eleanor Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warren; and Nancy Ann Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Wilson.

Rev. Prof. Hay, of Knox College, Guest Speaker — Special Music by the Choir

The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, celebrated the 92nd Anniversary of the founding of the Church on Sunday last. Rev. Prof. David Wm. Hay, of Knox College, Toronto, was the special speaker for the occasion and special music by the choir added greatly to the interesting and helpful messages brought by him.

Large congregations were present at both morning and evening services and it was most gratifying to those in charge of arrangements to have friends from all parts of the community join in the celebration of another milestone in the history of St. Andrew's. Prof. Hay proved to be an outstanding speaker and his stirring messages were well received by those privileged to hear him.

The church was artistically decorated for the occasion with flowers of many colors banking the pulpit and the collections for the day were very close to nine hundred dollars.

Special Music
The musical contribution made to these splendid services by the choir in the morning included a duet, "Thine Forever, God of Love"—A. A. Du Bois, by Misses Marilyn Eggleton and Arline Tummon; an anthem, "Make a Joyful Noise"—Adam Cole, by the choir; and a solo, "Like As a Father"—J. Prindle Scott, by Wm. Reynolds.

Mrs. Mabel Williams presided at the console of the organ and played "Aria Marcia"—Carl W. Kerns Op. 287, as an organ prelude; "Romance", J. J. Bell, at the offertory and "Fanfare"—Th. Dubois, as a postlude.

In the morning, Prof. Hay delivered a stirring and thought-provoking sermon on "The Church Invisible", from the text II Corinthians 5: 16-17.

Evening Service
At the evening service, the choir rendered the anthem "Our Grateful Thanks"—Ed. Norman; Mrs. Roy Eggleton and Mrs. Chas. Fargey sang a duet, "The Holy City"—Stephen Adams.

Mrs. Williams, organist, was accompanied at the piano by Miss Grace Pitman, A.T.C.L., organist of St. Paul's and rendered "Postlude"—E. L. Ashford, "Concerto in F Major"—Jean Williams, at the offertory and "In Festive Mood"—A. L. Scarnolla, as a postlude.

In the evening, Prof. Hay delivered an address on "The World Council of Churches", which was instituted in Amsterdam in August last. He described the festive setting that prevailed in the Dutch city when the Council of Churches came into being.

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- Coming Events -

MADOC LEGION HALLOWE'EN
Ball, Monday, November 1st, in Madoc Armouries, dancing 10-2 a.m. Come in costume—Prizes, Fun and Frolic. Bobby Kinsman's Club Aragon Orchestra. Admission, \$2.50 couple. 2-1

SPRINGBROOK UNITED CHURCH
Anniversary Services on Sunday, October 31st, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Guest Preachers, Rev. Alfred Poulter, of Madoc, at 11 a.m. and Rev. J. F. Everson, Ivanhoe, at 7.30 p.m. 2-1

RESERVE FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26,
for St. Paul's United Women's Association Annual Bazaar and Afternoon Tea, in the Community Hall. 2-1

FARM FORUM RALLY AND ANNUAL
Meeting of the Hastings County Federation of Agriculture will be held at the Plainfield Hall, on Thursday, November 4th, 1948, at 8 p.m. Two outstanding speakers from Toronto will address the gathering on Farm Forum Topics. Lunch will be served. 2-1

MEMBERS SPRINGBROOK L.O.L.
442 will attend Divine Worship at Springbrook United Church at 3.30 p.m., Sunday, November 7th. Please meet at Orange Hall at 3 p.m. Visitors welcome. Wm. Neal, W.M.; Fred Bateman, R.S. 2-2p

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Orillia Editor Tells How Newspaper Is Published

The editor of the Orillia Packet and Times speaks for himself and a good many other publishers, we can presume, in the following article which appeared in a column in that newspaper recently:

"Some people have a rather strange idea regarding newspapers. They seem to think that the publishers issue them, but should have nothing to say as to what it put in the news columns, how it is written or on what page it should appear. When they send in a list of news they wish to direct all the details and the publishers should have no rules that in any way the contrary to their ideas.

"They think the newspaper is just a public affair, and the publisher has no rights, though it is his money that is invested in the business. Every newspaper man runs up against people with these ideas. Copy sometimes comes into an office with a little note on the bottom to the effect that this news must not be altered, but must be printed as written. Others will demand that it have a big heading, that it is matter for the front page.

It may surprise some to know that there are columns of matter come in which is not printed at all but goes into the waste paper basket. Quite often items are reduced or changed to suit the ideas and rules of the newspaper. The ones in charge of the news department sometimes have

rules which they wish to follow. They sometimes have ideas of what is news and what is not.

"If they published a whole lot of what is sent in, or put in everything wanted in a prominent position or on the front page, they would soon find their subscription list going down rapidly. There are many reasons for curtailing items or changing sentences or words in some other way. And there are many other things which enter into the choice of news for one page or another. In the city a morning paper seldom features news which has been given prominence before in another paper. Or the evening paper will not feature what the morning paper does.

"It may so happen that they may not use the news at all. Columns of dispatches reach a daily paper in a day which are not printed or are severely cut down. The editor may even cut down or cut out reports written by his own staff. This is what editors are for. They are trained for this job.

"In weekly papers, too, editors use their discretion and have rules. Sometimes items come in which are written like news in a school paper. All publishers and editors are anxious to give a good news coverage, and to have the news which will create a good news circulation. They are not anxious to disturb the feelings of those from whom some news comes. But a paper without rules soon fades away.

Persons, too, who make demands or who telephone and give the girl in the office a piece of their mind do not accomplish anything. Newspaper people get accustomed to that. And when it is done, too often the person who does it soon gets little consideration. The day will come when their items will be refused. A case comes to mind where a person of more or less prominence never had his name in the paper where he lived for the

Red Cross Holds First Meeting of The New Season

The first meeting of the new season was held on Friday, October 8th in the Women's Rest Room. It was decided, on account of the fuel situation and the power interruptions, to hold regular meetings only on the first Friday of each month and to have the sewing and the knitting done at home. Quotas were ordered for girls' sweaters in 8-year size, and for panty dresses in 6-year size. It is hoped that materials will be ready for the first Friday in November. If those interested will call at the Hall or the Rest Room for these materials, it will save the convenors many steps.

As Chairman of Disaster and Emergency Relief in case of local need, Mr. David Duffin was appointed.

Mrs. E. Ketcheson was appointed as convenor of the Loan Cupboard Committee, replacing Mrs. E. Gorman.

Since that change has been necessitated, it is thought wise to repeat the regulations concerning the Loan Cupboard. Please clip and keep for reference:

1. Persons wishing to borrow articles may do so by contacting their own doctor, who is provided with keys. Borrowers will sign in the presence of the doctor in the register found in the room.

2. Persons in the Stirling Branch district, that is, in the district which is canvassed each year by the Stirling Branch, may borrow articles free of charge. In the case of the hospital bed, persons in the Stirling Branch District may use free for four weeks and may continue to use free, if there have been no other calls for same. If other borrowers are waiting, the original borrower may choose either to give up the bed or to pay the usual rental of 50 cents per week.

3. Persons outside the Stirling Branch District will be charged 50 cents per week for the bed, and a small fee for other articles.

4. Borrowers must provide means of transportation for the bed, since in most cases its use will be free.

5. Borrowers must use the rubber mattress cover and are requested to wash the mattress cover before returning.

6. Articles requiring sterilization before being returned, should be brought for inspection to Mrs. E. Ketcheson, convenor of the Loan Cupboard Committee.

7. Very badly damaged articles must be replaced.

The following articles are available: Hospital Bed with gatch spring and mattress; rubber draw sheet; dunlopillo (rubber ring cushion); ice collar; enamel pitcher; enamel wash basin; waste pail; bed tray; male urinal; bed pan; enema outfit; hypo syringe; graduated medicine glass and dropper; thermometer; kidney basin; glass douche nozzle.

Crutches, wheel chair, and commode chair are not in the Loan Cupboard, but can be obtained for borrowers on short notice.

last 15 years of his life, not even when he died.

"Papers appreciate those who send news or tell them of good items. All good papers have a host of friends who do this. These people are looked on with kindly feelings. But, nevertheless, how the item is written, or where it appears in the paper, or whether it goes in or not is a matter for the one in charge of that department. The persons who go to some other member of the staff and try to get round the news man do not gain much. They may succeed once or twice but the news man does not change his rules.

"A newspaper cannot boom every organization or movement or scheme. They may be important to someone, but it may not be to the general public or publisher. Sometimes a report of a meeting is like the minutes which the secretary keeps as a record. All this is not interesting to the public. When the opening and closing exercises are the same every meeting it is then not news. Good newspapers do not change their rules every time a new fad comes along. Most of these ideas are short lived, and are just as well not followed. A newspaperman has a real satisfaction and joy when he knows each week that his paper is a welcome visitor in the home of his community and that almost all of his readers appreciate his efforts to give the news in a readable and clean way. When the paper is received in a kindly way in the big homes and in the little homes where often are his most sincere friends, he has joy in his heart and is glad. He forgets the odd one who shows annoyance and makes demands."

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Dominion Balance Of Trade with U.S. Improved Says Bank of Montreal

Montreal, Oct. 23.—"Canada's current trading position with the United States underlines the extent to which vigorous demand in that country has, thus far, more than counterbalanced the contraction of our markets elsewhere." The Bank of Montreal makes this observation in its latest Business Review which, issued today, is devoted chiefly to a comparative study of Canada's exports and imports in the first eight months of 1947 and 1948.

"The substantial improvement in the Dominion's adverse balance of trade with the United States," the bank says, "has achieved mainly by a 35 per cent increase in exports to that country, and has been dependent to a much lesser extent on reduction of imports which are down by only 10 per cent in the eight months' comparison."

Principal items listed as contributing to the higher export values have been — in order of importance — lumber, newsprint, wood pulp and pulpwood, base metals, agricultural implements and cattle.

"On the import side, restrictions have sharply curtailed receipts of fibres and textiles, fresh fruits and vegetables, automobiles, household electrical appliances and luxury articles," the review continues. "On the other hand, imports of an essential nature such as coal, petroleum and heavy machinery have been in significantly higher figures, reflecting both price factors and the effects of high levels of industrial activity and new capital expansion in this country."

Steep Increase in Imports From U.K.

The outstanding feature of Canada's trade with the United Kingdom in the period under review has been a 65 per cent increase, by value, in the movement of British goods to this country, the bank comments. While showing little change in dollar aggregate Canadian exports to Britain have altered significantly higher figures for meats and base metals having offset reduced shipments of wheat, tobacco, oats, apples and potatoes.

Referring to recent discussions between Britain's chancellor of the exchequer and ministers of the Canadian government, the B of M says that while little is known of the outcome of these conversations, it is clear that efforts will be made to narrow the gap in trade, both by expanding British exports to Canada and by adjusting the United Kingdom's import programs. The review adds that it is generally considered likely that the Dominion government will soon release to the United Kingdom the unexpended balance of the 1946 loan.

In the light of these trends, the bank says that, while no official statement has been made about Canada's reserves of gold and U.S. dollars since holdings of \$742 millions were announced as at June 23, it is a "reasonable supposition" that some further improvement has taken place.

"This supposition," it continues, "is strengthened by the Government's announcement on October 8 that the unused portion of \$160 millions of the loan of \$300 millions from the United States Export-Import Bank, arranged late last year, has been cancelled on Canada's initiative. The \$140 millions previously drawn down has, it will be recalled, been repaid out of the proceeds of borrowing from private sources."

River Valley Study Group

Fourteen members and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Ernest Carr on the afternoon of October 19, for the monthly meeting of the R.V.S.G.

Due to the illness of the President, Mrs. Roy Bush, the vice-president, Mrs. Ralph Utman, very capably took charge of the meeting. The opening hymn, "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound," was sung after which Mrs. Utman led in prayer.

In the business period it was decided to hold the November meeting at the home of Mrs. Ross Bush with Mrs. George Heasman as assistant hostess. Mrs. Edward Kent kindly volunteered to prepare the second chapter of the Study Book.

The programme opened with the singing of the hymn "What a Friend We Have in Jesus". The theme of the programme was "Word of Truth". The scriptures were read by Mrs. Kent, Mrs. R. Irvine and Mrs. S. Irvine. Mrs. Ernest Carr presented the first chapter of the Study Book, "West of the Gorges" which told of the wonderful Christian work of Margaret Li in China.

After the benediction a bountiful pot-luck lunch was served.

Junior Farmer Get-Together At Tweed

The annual Hastings County Junior Farmer Get-together which has been so popular for the past few years is being held at the Parish Hall, Tweed, on Friday, October 29th, commencing at 8 p.m.

The purpose of this Get-together is to give recognition to all the Juniors in the County who have taken part in various phases of Junior Farmer and Club Work throughout the year.

The guest speaker for the occasion is Mr. Harry K. Hutton, Director of Extension for Queen's University, Kingston. Arrangements are being made to have a number of musical selections.

All parents and friends are invited to attend.

There will be a small admission to cover rental of the hall and other incidental expenses.

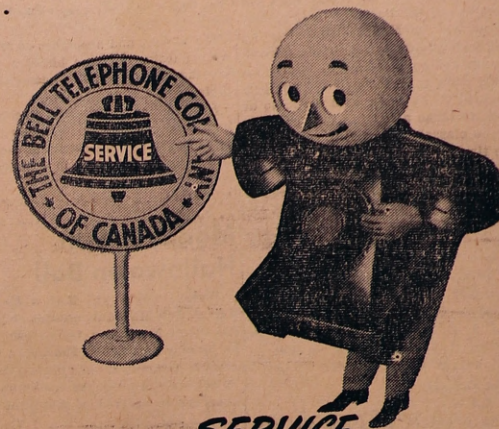
Safety First To Prevent Fire

Here's a safety tip when putting furnace or stove pipes in position.

After fitting the lengths securely together, take a piece of white chalk and make a circle around the place where the slightly expanded ends of each length fit over the previous section. If the lengths of pipe start pulling away from each other, the chalk mark will show this movement.

If this small safety tip is adopted, a casual glance at the pipes at any time will show whether the sections are parting company, or whether all is "safe and sure".

There is danger in poorly fitting stove or furnace pipes. Escaping coal gas is probable; a disastrous fire may even be in the making.



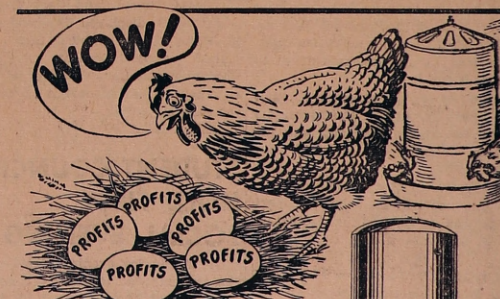
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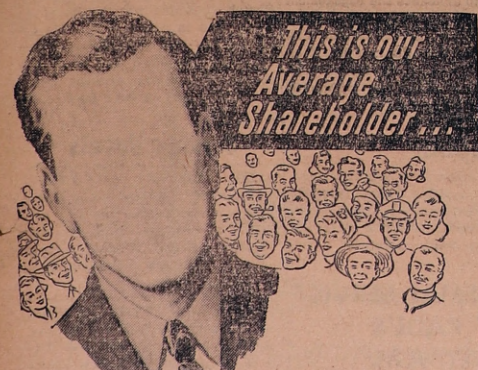
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Taxes.....	\$ 457.01
Money reinvested to keep the business in a stable condition.....	\$ 178.01
Net profit received by Mr. Average Shareholder (on which he pays personal tax too).....	\$ 323.96

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CANADIAN PLOWMEN TO GO TO BRITAIN

Two Canadian tractor plowmen, winners in the Esso Champions tractor class at the International Plowing Match held at Lindsay, will have an all-expense-paid trip to Britain this January, as guests of Imperial Oil Ltd. The champion plowmen are Rhys Bacher, of Hagersville, and Robert Timbers, of Stouffville. Rhys Bacher, who came first, also received a gold medal while Fred Timbers, as runner-up was presented with a silver medal.

Accompanying the tractor men will be Elliott Moses, of Ohsweken, as coach-manager, and Alvin Mark, of Cameron, and W. McFadden, of Millbank, winners of the Trans-Atlantic class for horse-drawn jointer plows, sponsored by Salada Tea Company Ltd. The five men will tour the British Isles, for six weeks, competing in plowing matches and observing British methods of agriculture.

Rhys Bacher, 28, was born in Fisherville, Ont., but now runs a 72-acre mixed farm near Hagersville. He has won two second prizes and one first prize in previous competitions. He is married and his wife is the former Jean Gloyd, of Selkirk.

Robert Timbers, 21, is a son of Winfred Timbers and a nephew of Fred Timbers, one of the 1946 Esso Champions. This is the fourth international match for "Bob" and at the other competitions he carried away several first and second prizes. He owns an 100-acre mixed farm and has about a dozen beef cattle. He is married to the former Leatrice Nicholson and they have an eight months old daughter.

Elliott Moses is a director of the Ontario Plowmen's Association. He is a member of the Delaware Tribe of the Six Nations Indians and has been a farmer all his life. He owns a 450-acre farm. During World War I he served with the Canadian Army. His wife is the former Ethel Styres

and they have seven children. The youngest child, John Styres Moses, 15, is a violinist and last year won a prize at the Toronto Music Festival.

The 1948 Esso Champions class was open to the "Esso Champions Special" winners who competed in Ontario Plowmen's Association branch matches in Ontario, and to plowmen from other provinces. This year there were 27 entrants in the final match at Lindsay, eight more than last year.

This year's plowing match was one of the most outstanding that has ever been held. The plowing generally was of an exceptionally high calibre and on the last day of the match a record attendance was reached, with over 40,000 people turning out. One of the attractions of the 1948 match was the team from Northern Ireland, two tractor plowmen and one horse plowman, who were all prize winners. This was the first time that a team from the British Isles has ever plowed in Canada.

RATS DESTROY FOOD AND MENACE HEALTH

Among the things that nobody knows, is how many rats there are in the world. But it has often been assumed that the number is at least equal to the human population. Canada has a population of 13 million, which means there are probably a similar number of these rodents acting as destroyers of food and property, and presenting a serious problem to public health authorities across the Dominion.

The common brown or Norway rat in addition to being a prolific breeder probably eats, as an adult, about an ounce of food a day. While it is true that rats each much that is unfit for human use, they also eat practically anything used as food by human beings and by livestock—except hay. They also contaminate food and make it unfit for human consumption

with consequent loss to producers.

The extermination of rats is complicated by the fact that most of the suitable poison baits used in their destruction are also injurious to other animals and to humans. If reasonable precautions are observed, however, poison baits can be used to good effect.

One of the best methods of avoiding damage from rats is to make buildings rat-proof. Concrete is one of the best materials as foundations and around spaces where drain and other pipes lead out of a building. Doors should be bound at their base with sheetmetal, and ventilators and basement windows should be covered with wire-netting.

Traps are effective if there are not many rats and if in a house where the use of poison bait would be undesirable. It is a good plan to cover the traps with a piece of cheesecloth or scatter sawdust around as this helps to make them less obvious.

LITTLE MAN'S LOANS NOW BIG BUSINESS

Since 1939, the year when all Canadian provinces completed their legislation enabling credit unions to incorporate, the number of these people's banks trebled, membership has increased fivefold and assets tenfold. By last year, there were 2,646 credit unions in Canada with 775,129 members and \$220.5 millions in assets, according to a Dominion Department of Agriculture publication, entitled "Credit Unions in Canada, 1947".

J. E. O'Meara, author of this report says that the increase in these three items was remarkably steady even during the war when credit union expansion in other countries declined. Since war's end, Canadian progress

and growth in this form of co-operative saving and lending has continued slowly but steadily.

Tucked away in these people's banks are \$34,812,341 in shares and additional savings on deposit of \$174,055,932. From these assets credit union members collectively loaned one another \$89,210,032 last year.

Yet this tremendous business is made up of small groups averaging only 323 members whose savings invested in this form of co-operative average \$269.46.

CO-OP BUSINESS HITS NEW HIGHS

Nearly one-third of the main Canadian farm products sold commercially are marketed by co-operatives. The value of this co-operatively marketed farm produce last year hit a new high of more than half a million dollars, with total 1947 business reported by co-operatives to the Dominion Department of Agriculture of \$712,583,000, another record figure.

According to J. E. O'Meara of the Department's Economics Division, Ottawa, the 2,095 co-operatives reporting their 1947 business had a membership totalling 982,990. But as Mr. O'Meara points out in a Department publication, entitled "Co-operation in Canada 1947", there is duplication in this membership figure such as that caused by some farmers marketing milk through one organization, eggs through another.

In the year 1946-47, co-operative purchases of supplies and goods for members topped the hundred million dollar mark for the first time at the figure of \$127,000,488. Of this business, 40 per cent was done through wholesale co-operative organizations, of which each province has at least one.

Fishermen's co-operatives market-

which included bait and gear as well as groceries and clothing.

FIRST NINE MONTHS OF POULTRY EXPORTS

With the last quarter of the year yet to go, Canadian poultry exports for the first nine months of 1947 have topped those of any full year in the past. Last year's poultry exports totalled 27 million pounds; the peak year of 1944 saw the export of 30 million pounds; from January 1 to September 30 of this year, the figure stands at 34 million pounds.

Of this, 21 millions have been exported alive to the United States; 11 millions have gone as dressed poultry to the U.S.; about three-quarters of a million pounds of dressed poultry have gone to other parts, Newfoundland, with smaller quantities to Alaska, St. Pierre and Miquelon, and—earlier in the year—to Belgium and Switzerland.

Of the live poultry exports, Ontario has been the source of about three-quarters of the shipments. Manitoba has shipped more dressed poultry than any other province.

CANADIAN HOLSTEIN SETS NEW WORLD RECORD

A pured Canadian Holstein named Roeland Rag Apple Lilly owned by John W. Greenwood, Maple, Ont., has just established a new World record for butterfat production in the two-year-old class over all breeds on twice-a-day milking. Although she made her record as a junior two-year-old "Lilly's" production of 827 lbs. fat from 18,593 lbs. milk, average test 4.45 percent butterfat beats any previous record made by either a senior or junior two-year-old.

This record-breaking production

ed more than 10 million dollars worth of fish, and bought a million and a half dollars worth of consumer goods, tends to confirm the old adage that great daughters have great mothers for the dam of "Lilly" is an outstanding producer in her own right. She is Geraldine Pabst Alcartra whose 305 day record of 866 lbs. fat from 21,566 lbs. milk made as a five-year-old stands for all time in Canada in the mature class. In the same lactation she produced in 365 days 923 lbs. fat from 23,626 lbs. milk. "Lilly" also has a full sister, Roeland Rag Apple Daisy, whose junior two-year-old record of 762 lbs. fat from 17,211 milk is the fourth highest ever made in Canada in this class.

The former World Champion Junior two-year-old was the Canadian Holstein Bonnie Segla Keyes owned by Leslie Thompson, Woodstock, who made her record of 777 lbs. fat from 20,479 lbs. milk in 1941. The World Champion senior two-year-old is O.H.H. Bonheur Darkness owned by The Ontario Hospital, Hamilton, who in 1946 produced 820 lbs fat from 19,193 lbs milk.

DISMANTLING BRIDGE

Dismantling of the steel bridge over the river at Stoco removes the last vestiges of the old Canadian National Railway line from Tweed to Nanapanee. The bridge was originally constructed by the old Bay of Quinte Railway Company, which later, disposed of its interests to the Canadian National. Three men are engaged in the two month job, presently building cribwork to facilitate the removal of the girders.

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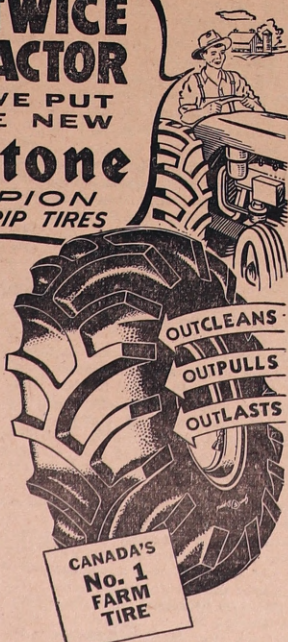
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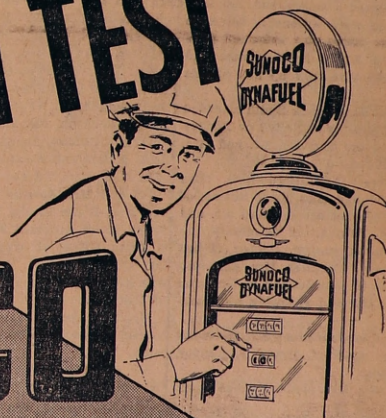
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11.00 a.m.—Bethel
2.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant
7.30 p.m.—Wellman's
Rev. H. H. Lackey, B.A., B.D.
will be the preacher

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. R. W. Barker, M.A., S.T.B.
Minister
Sunday, October 31st, 1948

10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship conducted
by Rev. J. F. Everson.

Carmel
1.45 p.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Worship Service conducted
by Rev. J. F. Everson.

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, October 31st, 1948
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2 p.m.—Gospel Bells Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and
Bible Study

Speaker:
Earl Wannamaker

were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Johnson.

The Two-by-Two Club entertained the Y.P.U. to a Halloween party on Friday evening at the hall. A good attendance was present with a large number in costume. All enjoyed games and stunts with several winning prizes. Refreshments were served at the close of an evening of fun.

Minto

Mrs. Agnes Kemp and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Breach, Betty and Doreen, of Belleville spent the tea hour and evening on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Sorry to report Mr. William Hagerman is confined to his bed. Friends hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Wilbur Bateman, Harold and John, of Tweed, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hagerman.

Mrs. Mamie Morgan visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Anderson of Allen's Mills, last week.

Mrs. Eddie Colden and Joy spent the week end in Peterboro.

Messrs. W. J. Tanner, Clare Tanner, Lindsay Tanner, John Courtney and Harry Geen attended the Laymen's Banquet of the Hastings Deaneery held in Madoc on Tuesday evening.

Several of the members of St. Thomas Church attended the Induction Service and Reception of their rector, Rev. A. J. Anderson which were held in St. John's Church, Stirling, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warren, Kingston, called Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Howard were the tea hour guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tanner spent a few days last week holidaying in Nanawake with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jeffrey and in Melrose with Mr. and Mrs. John Weese.

Bethel

Anniversary services of Bethel United church were conducted on Sunday, October 24th by Rev. H. C. Vacilavik, pastor, as speaker and special music by the choir. Both services were well attended and visitors from all parts of the surrounding district were present.

Mr. Garth Sine, of Belleville, was a Friday visitor of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Warren, of Kingston, were Saturday callers of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sadler, of Frankford, were dinner guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sine.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warren were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hagerman and family, of Burnbrae.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson, of Stirling, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott, of Havelock, were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Elliott.

Mrs. S. A. Murphy, of Stirling, was a week end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. C. Sine and Mrs. Rebecca Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Linn, Beverley and Betty were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sine and Gordon.

Mrs. Chas. Dracup spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton and family, of Wellman's Corners.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Elliott were Rev. H. C. Vacilavik and Mrs. Vacilavik, Stirling, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morrow and Linda Ann, of River Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Broadworth and Miss Eleanor Taylor, of Trenton.

Wellmans

Mrs. Fred Thrasher and Mrs. Russell Johnson were guests of Mrs. Edward Todd on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, of Spencerport, N.Y., were overnight guests on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Johnson and Delia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson, of Trenton, spent Saturday evening at the home of his father, Mr. Alex Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne spent the week end with rela-

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GARDEN PATCH GOLDEN WAX BEANS	29c
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WHITE BEANS	25c
2 lbs.	
KELLOGG'S RICE CRISPIES	29c
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SMITH'S TOMATO KETCHUP	23c
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Mount Pleasant

Over forty people from Mount Pleasant attended Bethel Anniversary Services on Sunday.

Mr. Elwood Johnson had the misfortune to crack a bone in his knee on Friday afternoon. He was reaching across a side delivery rake and one of the bars flew up and hit his knee.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith attended the two services at Bethel on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine, Miss Doris Sine and Miss Marie Rutan, of Mount Pleasant accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Patrick, of Frankford, to Kingston on Sunday. They visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Earl Rutan, who is convalescing in Kingston General Hospital following an operation.

Mrs. John Johnston spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Weaver, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes spent

the week end in Kingston with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Holmes and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAdam and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hoard and children attended Bethel anniversary and spent the day with Reeve and Mrs. John Morrison.

Mrs. Irvin Reid received word of the death of her father, Mr. Wm. Harvie, Brighton, on Thursday. On Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Reid, and Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Reid, Ralph and Carman and Mrs. John Reid attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith attended a fowl supper at Trent Bridge on Wednesday evening, October 20th. The programme was given by "The Pollock Family", of Havelock.

Mr. Ray Cooney held a very successful auction sale on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dunham, Carleton Place, Doris and Dick, of Campbellford,

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tives at Peterborough.

Miss Fay Fleming, of Madoc, spent the week end calling on friends at Wellman's, and took tea Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haggerty visited Sunday with Mrs. Elwood Haggerty, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham and family visited Sunday at the home of her father, Mr. Robert Macklin, of Rosemeath.

Mrs. Alice Laine spent the week end with relatives in Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thrasher and boys, of Belleville, visited Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher.

Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack visited Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Douglas and family, of White Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allen, of Kenmore, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Murney Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Watson were supper guests on Wednesday, October 20th, of Mr. and Mrs. George Watson. It being the 3rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Watson.

Mrs. Beatrice Storms and Beverley, of Bonarlaw, called on Mr. and Mrs. George Watson on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Farrell and family, Mr. John Farrell, of Moira were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pauley, Hazel and Cecil.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers and Mrs. Russell Stapley were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forde Stapley, the latter attending the evening church service.

evening text, Exodus, 4th chap., v.2.

"What is that in thine hand?"

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Grills and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grills and family, of Carmel, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stapley.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart, of Lakefield, was a guest last Thursday and Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow. He also visited Mr. Bruce Stapley and Mrs. R. Chambers.

Anniversary guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Fitchett and Rosella were Mr. and Mrs. Kleinsteuber, Mr. Kenneth Foran, of Actinolite, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clancy, Messrs. Maurice and Keith Clancy, of Wellman's, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fitchett, Sr., of Stirling, also Rev. Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ross, of Corbyville, attended morning service on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brydges.

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Mrs. Alex McCurdy and Alex, of West Huntingdon, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harlow.

Mr. Chas. Brydges, of Oshawa, spent a few days vacation with his parents here.

West Huntingdon

A number of cheese factories in this district have closed down for the 1948 season. There is a general feeling that the smaller cheese factories will be amalgamating with the larger ones thus giving better service to the patrons. Already a number have engaged their makers for 1949.

Mr. Jas. Donnan has been re-engaged for the Beulah Factory and Mr. Burton Wallace for West Huntingdon. Both of these gentlemen are exceptionally good cheese makers and their many friends are pleased to know that they will be with us for another year.

Mrs. W. J. Fitchett, Miss Bessie Hollinger and Sarah Wilson, Mr. H. R. Burke and Arthur Wilson attended the Madoc Township Sunday School Convention on Friday. Mrs. Fitchett, Mr. Burke and A. Wilson assisted with the programme.

Rev. W. H. V. Walker has the sympathy of his many friends here in the loss of his father.

Springbrook

Messrs. Roy Lough and Bob Evan, of Toronto, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lough.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Juby, of Stirling, spent the tea hour on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Love, Madoc, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Runnalls on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray and Gail, of Ivanhoe, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Forsyth on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lough and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Lough and girls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Munby, Moira, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnett and family, Warsaw, were guests of Mr. Mrs. Sanford Meiklejohn on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McKeown and Billie entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jeffrey and family, of Napanee, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mumby and Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Mumby on Sunday.

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Births

COOKE—On Sunday, October 24th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke, Ridge Road, a son.

CRAMPTON—At Perth Memorial Hospital, on Thursday, October 14th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Crampton, of Innisville, a daughter, a sister for Ward and Gail.

MEALE—On Monday, October 25th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Meale, of Sidney Township, a son.

MURRAY—At Belleville Hospital, on Sunday, October 24th, 1948, to Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Murray, of Stirling, a son, John James.

In Memoriam

MORTON—In loving memory of Hugh Morton, who passed away six years ago today.
—Ever remembered by wife, sons and daughters. 2-1

NOTICE

Please take notice that the hours of interruption in the Rural Areas which are supplied from our Stirling station will be changed as of

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ment, How do you do?, home table services, table manners, food presentation, also recipes. This talk was very interesting.

A demonstration was given on "How to prepare salads for the late fall and winter", also recipes on different kinds of salad dressings. This demonstration was prepared by Mrs. R. H. Williams and given by Mrs. W. West, in her absence. This salad was passed at lunch time.

Mrs. H. Rodgers gave a reading on "Thanksgiving". Mrs. M. Megginson conducted a contest. The W.I. decided to hold a dance in the Stirling Community Hall. The meeting closed with God Save the King. A lovely lunch was served by the committee in charge, Mrs. R. H. Williams and Ruth Tulloch. A hearty vote of thanks was moved to Mrs. L. Rodgers and all who had helped to make the meeting an enjoyable one, by Mrs. H. Cook.

West Huntingdon W.M.S.

The October meeting of the West Huntingdon W.M.S. was in the form of a Guest dinner, with visitors from Eggleton W.M.S. and St. Andrew's W.M.S. being present. The meeting opened with quiet music played by Mrs. Moorcroft. The call to worship was given by the President Mrs. Ashley, who also gave a hearty welcome to the visitors. Hymn 221 was sung followed with prayer by Rev. Mr. Burgess. Mrs. Hugh McMullen and Miss Mary Chambers from Eggleton favoured with a duet. The Scripture Lesson, Psalm 145, was taken by Mrs. C. Wright and a reading on the Scripture was given by Mrs. D. Cooke. Mrs. G. Ashley gave a lovely piano solo.

The roll call was answered by giving a verse with "Thanks" and a paper on the roll call was given by Mrs. C. Sills followed by a reading by Miss Chambers. Minutes of the last meeting were read and several responded to the Watch Tower. Mrs. F. Hammond gave a reading. Mrs. Burgess gave the address for the afternoon on some of her experiences while out West, which everyone enjoyed. Mrs. Clifford Green and Mrs. Fitchett sang a duet and Mrs. F. Hammond voiced the appreciation of the Society to all those who helped on the programme especially the visitors and Mrs. Burgess.

Business was then dealt with and Mrs. A. Wright invited the Society to her home for the November meeting. The meeting closed by singing one verse of Bless be the Tie and Benediction. 2-1

Ivanhoe W.M.S.

The Ivanhoe W.M.S. met on Tuesday afternoon of last week for their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur and Mrs. George Wood. The president opened the meeting and plans were made for quilting to be held in connection with the Baby Band and Mission Band on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Keeble.

A letter on Christian Stewardship was read by Mrs. J. F. Everson asking the members to read more and pray more for the W.M.S. missionaries at home and abroad.

Several of the W.M.S. members plan to attend the Sectional Rally, Wednesday at Eldorado United Church.

Mrs. Earl Benson, group leader, conducted the program from the Month.

The Scripture Lesson was read by Mrs. Harry Lovibond and the Study Book was taken in part by Mrs. Geo. Wood, Mrs. S. Prest and Mrs. Arthur Wood.

In closing special music was played by Mrs. S. Prest. Later the hostess served refreshments and a social half hour was enjoyed.

Entered Into Rest

WILLIAM WESLEY HAMMOND

A well known resident of Rawdon Township, William Wesley Hammond died at his residence, Ridge Road, three miles east of this village on Tuesday, October 26th.

Born in Seymour Township, he was the son of the late Henry Hammond and his wife Sarah Jane Green and was in his 74th year. He had resided in this locality for the past thirty-six years, and was well and favourably known.

Surviving him are his wife, the former Maude Hagerman, one son, Frank, at home; a daughter, Mrs. Melville (Leatha) Yateman, of Bayside, and a sister, Mrs. Lillian Morris, of Stirling. Six grandchildren and two great grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was held at his late residence at 2 p.m. today (Thursday). Interment in Stirling Cemetery.

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Heater, defroster, new car condition.
- 1947—DODGE SEDAN (Grey)
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- 1947—MONARCH SEDAN (Maroon). This car is in lovely condition.
- 1946—DODGE SEDAN (Black)
New tires, heater and defroster. See this car—a wonderful buy.
- 1946—DODGE SEDAN (Grey)
Here is another real buy.
- 1946—HUDSON SEDAN (Maroon)
This is a beauty priced right.
- 1946—CHEV. SEDAN (Grey)
For an economical car see this one.
- 1946—PONTIAC SEDAN (Grey)
This is a car anyone would like to own.
- 1946—CHEV. SEDAN (Green)
A very clean car throughout.
- 1942—PLYMOUTH SEDAN (Blue)
This is a very desirable car.
- 1942—DODGE SEDAN (Black)
You will be proud to own this one.
- 1942—FORD COACH (Black)
Heater and defroster. A very smart appearing car.
- 1941—BUICK SEDAN (Black)
Under seat heater, radio. This is a real buy.
- 1941—CHRYSLER SEDAN (Grey)
This car is spotless inside and out.
- 1941—DODGE SEDAN (Blue)
New paint, heater and defroster. A smart car.
- 1941—PLYMOUTH COACH (Black). This is a car that anyone would be proud to own.
- 1941—DODGE SEDAN (Grey)
This is a real buy.
- 1941—DODGE SEDAN (Green)
Here is a late model car in good condition, good tires, heater and defroster.
- 1941—CHEV. COACH (Black)
A lovely looking car. Motor real good. Tires like new.
- 1940—STUDEBAKER COACH (Green). A real economical little car. Good tires, heater and defroster.
- 1940—HUDSON COACH (Black)
Here is a real buy.
- 1940—MERCURY CONVERTIBLE (Maroon). This is a 5-passenger convertible. This is really a beautiful car.
- 1940—PONTIAC SEDAN (Black)
Here is a beautiful car. New motor, good tires, heater and defroster.
- 1940—PONTIAC SEDAN (Black)
New paint, tires good, mechanically perfect.
- 1940—FORD COACH (Black)
A medium priced car in lovely condition.
- 1940—FORD CIACH (Black)
Good tires, good motor, good car.
- 1940—DODGE SEDAN (Black)
This is a very desirable car.
- 1939—PLYMOUTH SEDAN (Maroon). This car is like new throughout. You have to see this car to appreciate it.
- 1939—PLYMOUTH SEDAN (Green). Tires, motor and appearance good.
- 1939—STUDEBAKER SEDAN (Blue). For economy and durability you can not beat this one.
- 1937—PONTIAC COACH (Blue)
Heater, defroster, good tires, good motor. An excellent-looking car.
- 1937—FORD COACH (Blue)
This is one of our best buys at this price.
- 1937—PLYMOUTH COACH (Tan)
A good family car.
- 1936—FORD SEDAN (Green)
Real good transportation.
- 1940—CHEV. COACH (Black)
This will not be here long, so do not delay.
- 1934—CHRYSLER SEDAN (Black)
New 650 tires on this car, heater, sealed beam lights.
- 1933—CHEV. SEDAN (Grey)
Good transportation.
- 1932—DURANT SEDAN (Blue)
New paint, good tires, a fine motor.
- 1931—WILLYS SEDAN (Black)
6 wire wheels. A fair car.

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Wednesday, November 3rd, at the Bridge Street United Church, Belleville, at 7:30 p.m., will see an event of interest to farmers in the area. Plans have been completed by the Belleville Chamber of Commerce for an evening of fellowship between the farmers of the area and the business men of Belleville at a banquet.

Mr. C. D. Graham, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, who is known through-

out the Province as an interesting after-dinner speaker, will be present. In addition a varied programme of films and other types of entertainment have been lined up.

Farmers may secure tickets from their local Agricultural Representative, Swift Canadian Company, Belleville, or the Chamber of Commerce.

Farmers, their wives and anyone interested in agriculture will be quite welcome.

Secure your tickets early so that the ladies of the Church will know the approximate attendance.

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It's best to prepare favorite inexpensive casual dishes which the young crowd enjoys. Hamburgers, wieners and rolls, coleslaw in orange shells, baked beans in custard cups, pickles, gingerbread or doughnuts and malted milk shakes, or sweet apple cider are good suggestions.

If it's a buffet supper for teenagers, a hot casserole of creamed chicken or salmon, a Halloween salad relish tray of carrot curls, celery, pickles, pumpkin tarts and hot coffee will set everybody singing your praises.

A pumpkins Jack O'Lantern with lighted candles within and a frill of black crepe paper as a dolly makes an easy centre. Or you may create a harvest scene on the buffet if you have an assortment of squash, gourds, egg plant, apples and autumn leaves.

The old favourite pastime of bobbing for apples in a tub of water or trying to bite an elusive one swinging in a doorway, is a good game. Toast marshmallows or pop corn while the charades are in progress.

HALLOWEEN FRUIT CUP

Cut the top of orange like pumpkin shell in picket fashion; remove the pulp and cut into small pieces, reserving the juice. Combine orange with diced bananas, pieces of melon and sprinkle with fine sugar. Pile into orange shells and top with whipped cream.

ped cream.

SPICED CIDER

Stir 4 tbsps. brown sugar, 6 cloves, stick of cinnamon and 3 all-spice into two quarts of sweet cider. Heat then cool immediately and strain out the spice. Serve with warmed doughnuts.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. J. C. says: Wax is loose around jars. What has caused this to happen?

Answer: Jam may have been stored in warm place. Or the jam jars may have been too hot when wax was put on. You may scrape off the surface; put on more melted paraffin and store in a cool place.

Mrs. T. B. asks:

CHICKEN BARBECUE SAUCE

2 green peppers, 1 red pepper, 4 small onions, 1 clove garlic, 1 cup salad oil, 4 cups tomatoes, 1 can tomato paste, 1 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. pepper, 1 tsp. paprika, 1/2 tsp. majoram, 1/2 tsp. celery salt.

Trim the pepper, onions and garlic. Chop fine. Heat salad oil and cook in it the peppers, onions, and garlic until brown; then add remaining ingredients. Cook about 3 mins.

Mrs. J. T. asks: Why do baked apples burst?

Answer: The oven should not be too hot — 350 degrees for about 35 minutes. Variety makes a difference too. Use spies, kings, greenings and wofle.

Mrs. B. K. suggests: baking our gingerbread recipe in muffin tins to conserve electricity. Instead of 45 minutes at 375 degrees, bake 25 minutes at 375 degrees.

Mrs. T. L. asks: How to keep meringues light?

Answer: Beat 2 egg white until frothy; add 1 tsp. cream of tartar and beat until whites stand up in a point as you lift out the beater. Grad-

ually fold and sprinkle in two tbsps. of fine sugar.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her c/o the Stirling News-Argus. Just send in your questions on home-making problems and watch this little corner of the column for replies.

MUNICIPALITIES URGE TAX CHANGE

Ontario municipalities in session at Toronto urged the Provincial Government to set up a commission on provincial-municipal relations.

Four municipal organizations, meeting Cabinet Ministers at a Government-sponsored conference, also made 13 specific financial suggestions.

Main Proposals

The main recommendations:

1. Municipalities should be relieved of all hospital, child welfare and relief costs.

2. Municipalities should get a "more adequate" share of revenue from gasoline tax and automobile license fees.

3. Municipalities should be relieved of all justice administration costs.

4. The Assessment Act should be reviewed "to determine what properties now exempt should be properly liable for municipal taxation".

The brief was prepared by the Association of Ontario Mayors and Reeves, Ontario Municipal Association, Ontario Association of Rural Municipalities and North Western Ontario Municipal Association. It was presented by Reeve Ann Shipley, of Teck Township.

In urging establishing of a provincial-municipal "committee or commission" the organizations said they understand such a move was forecast last year in the Speech from the Throne at the opening of the Legislature.

The commission, said the brief, should survey "the whole field of provincial - municipal relationships" and recommend changes in "functions and finances".

"Pending the final conclusions of such a body, it is further recommended that it be instructed to make interim financial adjustments as it may deem expedient to relieve the municipalities of the acute financial difficulties with which they are now confronted under the existing provincial-municipal arrangements."

Urge More Equitable Tax

The municipal representatives said in a preamble that their most important object is "to see that taxes on owners of homes and real property should be placed on an equitable basis".

In the years 1944-46, Ontario municipalities had spent \$25,056,220 on social services" and, therefore, should not be municipal responsibilities.

645 Gals. Water Required at Power Dam to Keep 100-watt Lamp Burning 1 Hour

It takes 645 gallons of storage water at a power dam to keep a 100-watt lamp burning for one hour, a Hydro official said today. How many persons understand that basic fact in the economy of electricity?

They are so accustomed to leaving these 100-watt lamps burn without concern about power sources, that they never think of this power waste in terms of water waste. And it is the water tumbling over power dams and through the generating machinery that provides the energy which keeps the wheels of factories

turning, he said.

Some people may shrug their shoulders at a mere 645 gallons, but there are approximately 900,000 Hydro consumers in Ontario. If each of them left one of those bulbs burning needlessly for one hour out of the 24, the amount of water wasted would be a prodigious 586,000,000 gallons, or as much water as falls over Niagara Falls in 46 seconds.

Let the toaster burn 15 idle minutes and the housewife wastes about 1,000 gallons of water that should be used and is sorely needed in driving the machines that create electricity. That is a simple translation of power waste into terms every member of the household can understand.

If you have an electric tea kettle and let it boil 10 minutes longer than necessary, the water waste is 1,500 gallons.

RECENT PURCHASER OF TRENTON PAPER SERIOUSLY HURT

Oshawa, Oct. 13—J. Nolan Sissons, formerly general manager of the Timmins Daily Press, was injured Tuesday night when an automobile he was driving struck a concrete abutment at the Ajax clover leaf on Highway 2A, about 10 miles west of here.

Hospital officials said both legs were fractured, one above the knee and one below. He also suffered minor cuts and bruises. Mr. Sissons last week purchased the Courier-Advocate, a weekly newspaper at Trenton.

Mr. Sissons had spent the Thanksgiving week end in London, Ont., and was returning to Trenton when the accident occurred. From his hospital bed, he said he must have dozed at the wheel before he nosed into the concrete.

Dr. A. K. Mighton of Oshawa said his condition was "fairly good".

RACHEL LANGEVIN, BOGART SUFFERS SEVERE BURNS

Rachel Langevin, 62, of Bogart, near Tweed, is in serious condition in Belleville General Hospital as result of severe burns suffered early Tuesday morning at the home of her brother, Leo Langevin.

At seven-thirty this morning Mr. Langevin heard a noise in his sister's room and thought she was getting up. When she failed to emerge from her room he investigated and found Miss Langevin's clothing, and also the bed clothing afire.

Langevin beat out the flames on his sister's clothing and summoned medical aid. Dr. F. J. McCue attended and ordered the woman to Belleville hospital. The house was saved from destruction by prompt work on the part of Langevin.

PAY ALL PRIZES

Directors of Norwood Fair will pay all prize monies to the winning exhibitors, G. A. Brethen, president, has announced. "We are able to do this by the generous support of our many friends in the district, for which we are grateful." It is remembered that the fair day was spoiled by rain. Directors are confident they would have 15,000 to 20,000 people. They are keeping faith with the exhibitors who may have been wondering since Thanksgiving Day about the state of the fair's exchequer.

ONTARIO PROG. CONS. RALLY ON SATURDAY

Date for the Ontario Progressive Conservative Association Convention to pick a successor to George Drew as provincial leader will be decided on Saturday next, when delegate members rally at the Royal York.

Attorney General Leslie Blackwell has announced himself candidate. Highways Minister George Doucett and Provincial Secretary Dana Porter are also mentioned as probable candidates. The new leader would eventually take over the premiership from Premier T. L. Kennedy.

The Association's annual meeting, scheduled for mid-November has been postponed pending a decision on the convention.

CAMPAIGNS NOW UNDERWAY FOR ELIMINATION OF COMMON BARBERRY AND BUCKTHORN

The Brant County Barberry eradication programme has demonstrated very conclusively that the Common Barberry shrub is no friend of the farmer.

Leslie Osborne, St. George, reeve of South Dumfries township, states that for forty years, regardless of variety of seed used, the kind and amount of fertilizer or the type of crop year, he had never been able to harvest more than 1,000 bushels of poor quality grain. As a result of the County Barberry campaign a number of barberry shrubs were found near the farm and destroyed. This year 3,000 bushels of good quality grain were

harvested.

According to information received from the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, ten counties in Ontario now have active campaigns in progress for the elimination of Common Barberry and the European Buckthorn, both of which can cause severe reduction in grain crops by increasing stem rust infection in the case of Barberry and leaf rust infection in the case of Buckthorn.

Both shrubs were killed by the use of a chemical with a chlorate base. Salt and kerosene oil are also sometimes used.

Barberry and Buckthorn shrubs should be located now and plans made

to have them destroyed. A pamphlet showing both shrubs in colour along with directions for eradication may be secured from any Agricultural Representative's office or the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch, Department of Agriculture, Toronto, Ontario.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jeffrey, of Belleville, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Lorraine, to John Herbert Joblin, son of Mrs. J. A. Miller, Boston, Mass., the marriage to take place October 30th, in Holloway Street United Church.

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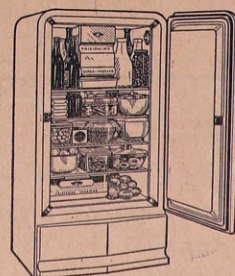
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of Imperial Oil Ltd. and Salada Tea Co. Ltd.

Rhys Bacher, of Hagersville, Ont., and Robert Timbers, of Stouffville, Ont., won gold and silver medals respectively in the Esso Champions Tractor Class sponsored by Imperial Oil Ltd.

Alvin Mark, of Cameron, Ont., and

Wilbert McFaddin of Millbank, Ont. won gold and silver medals respectively in the Trans-Atlantis Class for horse plowmen sponsored by Salada Tea Co. Ltd.

Elliott Moses, Oshweken, Ont., a director of the Ontario Plowmen's Association will accompany the winners as coach-manager when they sail for Britain early next January.



Continued Improvement

The Canadian Government's move in lifting the bans on certain produce imports by allowing some into Canada previously prohibited or by easing restrictions on quota limitations for the fourth quarter of this year is interpreted in this capital as perhaps only the beginning of official efforts to avert spectacular price boosts or shortages this winter of imported items in Canada and more such moves are now foreseen here as this country's foreign exchange reserves improve. It is known backstage here that officialdom is conscious of considerable dislike among the masses of some features of the so-called "austerity" program and it will be no surprise if this lifting of import restrictions on fresh fruits and vegetables is followed by other strategic steps.

They Don't Like It

The case of the four French "political refugees" who are charged with being collaborators with the enemy by the Government of France and who are now living in Quebec Province is really a "hot" subject along Parliament Hill. There are a lot of people here who do not like to see the case closed until all the facts have been made public in detail so that misunderstanding may be avoided, though it is said here that the French Government had not requested the return of the men in any official manner save by "suggestion" that the men should go back to France to

defend their honor of the charges.

What is known here is the four men all living in Quebec now, managed to enter this country by the passing of an Order-in-Council in the case of three of them and the fourth was permitted entry under the terms of another order extending immigration privileges to citizens of France. But the significant point is that all have police records in France as the result of alleged collaboration with the Nazi-dominated Vichy Government, though Canada admitted them as "political refugees" and as such are said not to be extraditable, it is said.

Greatest Potential

"A very important fact which concerns us the most in these negotiations, as Newfoundland enters confederation, is that Canada will have the greatest potential of fishing industries in the world," said here Roy Gushue, adviser to the Fisheries Board of Newfoundland, adding that the latter's entry would raise interest in a newspaper office every week national problems. He remarked that a failure of the fishing industry would be a calamity to Newfoundlanders.

Disabled Ex-Servicemen

Of about 90,000 Second World War pensioners nearly one-third have some form of residual disability which prevents them from resuming their former type of employment, C. H. Parliament Director General of Rehabilitation, Department of Veterans' Affairs of Canada, revealed here.

Mr. Parliament disclosed that close co-operation with the Labor Department has enabled many Canadian disabled ex-servicemen to find suitable employment. But he also added that more than 4,000 veterans are still in hospital in Canada and of this number about 400 are undergoing some form of training for ultimate occupation in civil life.

We Are Responsible

A top official of one of Canada's major railways, J. S. Macdonald told a meeting in this capital that a recent survey has shown that Canadians and not tourists from other countries are responsible for the depletion of game stocks. He asked that steps be taken by the Canadian authorities to increase the number and the calibre of game enforcement officers in this country.

Against Communism

"Those people don't want Communism," said Labor Minister Mitchell here indicating that Displaced Persons arriving in Canada were a bulwark against Communism. "They ran away from it."

Mr. Mitchell disclosed that of the 600,000 persons in the European camps, this country is taking 100,000 and to date 40,000 have landed in Canada, with the total being boosted to 65,000 when their families arrive. He also said arrivals of D.P.'s would be suspended until the Spring. "There's no use landing those people here in the winter months" he emphasized.

Not Worried

According to W. T. Munro, head of a British woolen mission touring Canada at present, the trade is not "worried" about new synthetic materials now being introduced, though he stressed that they are "keeping their eyes on them." He said in Ottawa that he had seen "beautiful fabrics" made from synthetics but they did not have the qualities of wool to keep out damp or cold weather.

Hollywood and Ottawa

Ottawa has been invaded by representatives of major Hollywood producers who are contemplating expanding production of films on Canadian subjects, including feature-length pictures. Producer Sam Marx of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has been here for sometime and this has followed a visit by officials of 20th Century-Fox Corp., with both studios said to be

arranging production of a film on the RCMP. Significantly, J. J. Fitzhugh, head of the Famous Players Canadian Corp. and an active leader in getting U.S. producers interested in Canada, also has visited in this capital.

It Didn't Work

Though the president of a well-known Canadian lumber firm told the Prices Commission here that his company refrained from letting prices climb to level in the general lumber market, yet it was discovered the consumers did not get the benefits of cheaper lumber, with retailers' profits merely being increased. Consequently, he admitted his firm had to give up "the pursuit of this ideal."

Said in the Capital

"Development of armour has been a great military benefit to us in North America," said Maj. Gen. W. G. Livesey, Commandant of U.S. Armored School at Fort Knox adding our production abilities and mechanical aptitudes have good effects on the battlefield against opponents who have greater manpower.

"Welfare workers all across the country report the difficulties of our older population with inadequate pensions, few work opportunities and bad housing conditions," stated here Miss Bessie Touzel, secretary Canadian Welfare Council.

"The Division considers health and pocketbooks," explained Dr. C. A. Morrell, Director, Food and Drugs Division, Department of Health of the Canadian Government.

"Without organization, the veteran would be no better off today than he was immediately after the First World War," remarked in a speech here G. Russell Boucher, MP, terming the Veterans' Affairs Committee a "police force".

"There is every reason in the world why your great country should absorb my little country," said here J. B. McEvoy KC, of the Newfoundland dele-

gation now in this capital for negotiations with the Cabinet and officials.

Weekly Wind-Up

It is reported here that Canada has not considered removing her military mission from troubled Berlin in face of the Russian proposal suggesting same.

An alternate minister cannot name an alternate and that is why Premier King appointed Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe as Acting Prime Minister when Acting Premier Louis St. Laurent had to leave suddenly overseas after Mr. King became ill in London. This is the reason Mr. Howe was not named by Mr. St. Laurent, it is pointed out.

Meat prices are expected to drop further, it is hinted here, and this may be an important development in view of the general upward trend in prices of food all along the line in Canada.

In face of rumors to the contrary, Canada's armed services are not planning to use horses or mules and cavalry regiments are things of the past it is emphasized here.

Another rumour discounted in this capital is that butter and gasoline rationing may return. There is no confirmation whatsoever of such stories.

A very well-known Canadian military expert is reported here as having gone on record in favor of "rapid re-armament" of the Western Countries, particularly North America, as a first necessity to keeping peace in the world — and he is said to have stressed, significantly enough the word "rapid".

What Others Say!

FARM PROSPERITY

(Creemore Star)
We like to see prosperity on the farms and this year we are seeing it aplenty. The year 1948 will no doubt

MINISTER'S STIPENDS

(Brockville Recorder and Times)
From the interior of British Columbia comes a report of a clergyman owing bills in excess of his year's stipend and of grocers and garage men having to be implored to carry long overdue clerical accounts. That is undoubtedly one reason why a ministerial career, especially in rural areas, is less attractive than it used to be.

AS ELECTIONS APPROACH

(Bowmanville Statesman)
The Midland Free Press believes that it is not too early now to think about municipal elections and prepare. It rises to remark: "In not many months now the electors of the towns, villages, and townships will be called upon to nominate candidates for public office. It is too often the case that nomination day sneaks up unawares and only a few of us have had time to consider the type of men and women we wish to represent us, and to ensure that those men and women are prepared to assume the responsibilities of public office. There may be vacancies in the council, the public utilities commission, and perhaps in the public school board. Now is the time to start thinking about new candidates."

SILLY STUNTS

(Windsor Star)
In Quebec City a youth was killed when he attempted to "ropewalk" the railing about Dufferin Terrace and plunged off the cliff. In Detroit, one twin killed another when they were staging a "wild west style" card game and one pulled a pistol and fired it, thinking the powder had been taken out of the shell.
Perhaps it is impossible to prevent people making fools of themselves. But at least, they can be warned of the danger in being a fool. The number of lives lost annually through sheer silliness—including many traffic accidents—adds up fast. In most cases, where more than one person is involved, there is remorse. But remorse restores no lives.

MORE "D. P.'S"

Apparently the management of the Bata Shoe Co. must have been pleased with the results of their experiment with displaced persons on the shoe lines. Tuesday of this week about forty more "D.P.'s", all girls, started to work in the factory.
—Frankford Advocate

BIGGEST INCOMES

From the Financial Post
Doctors make the biggest incomes in Canada according to a report of the Department of National Revenue published in The Financial Post. Their average was \$7,466 per year with lawyers in the second-ranking group at \$6,528.
In third place were architects with \$5,984, followed by dentists with \$5,289. From there on all classes were below \$4,000 a year. At the bottom of the list was another branch of the medical profession, nurses with average earnings of \$1,173.

HOW TO BREAK THE LAW

Under the heading of "Getting Around Exchange Rules" the Windsor Star publishes an editorial which explains in detail how a Canadian by getting into cahoots with someone south of the border who is coming up here for a visit, can circumvent our restrictions on the use of U.S. dollars for pleasure travel. "The procedure is not proper," says the Star at the end of its explanation, "but people have ways of figuring out these schemes." —Saturday Night

MENTAL MECHANISMS

Almost every child in Canada starts life with at least normal mental equipment and normal physical capacities. It is the type of guidance and training received from birth through adolescence that will largely determine the outcome as to mental health. The preservation of mental health begins the day the child is born.

Canada's 1948 oil seed crop will probably be a record. A bumper crop is expected for flaxseed, a new high for soybeans, rapeseed, and sunflower seed.

Day after day, more and more people are agreeing

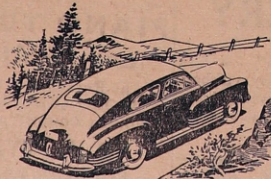
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St. John's Women's Association

St. John's W.A. held its regular meeting Tuesday with Mrs. W. Savage presiding. Mrs. H. Smith acted as

secretary and Mrs. B. Woodbeck presided at the piano.

The visiting committee, Mrs. Earl Morrow and Mrs. Edgar Morrow, reported making a number of calls and Mrs. Savage gave the highlights of the Deanery meeting held at Marmora re-

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NOTICE

Re NIGHT CLASSES

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cently. She also thanked those who had taken their cars and urged all to subscribe to "The Living Message."

Mrs. Melville Tanner gave a synopsis of the 6th Chapter of the Study Book, which proved very interesting to all.

The programme was under the direction of Mrs. C. Vance and Mrs. Morrow. Rev. A. J. Anderson, rector, gave a very interesting address, followed by a very fine reading by Mrs. Anderson. The society was greatly honoured by His Lordship Bishop Lyons and Mrs. Lyons joining the members for a cup of tea.

The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Kent. Mrs. H. Smith and Mrs. W. Graver were appointed as the program committee for the next meeting. The singing of a hymn and prayer by Rev. Anderson brought the meeting to a close. Mrs. H. Cooke moved a vote of thanks to all who had made the meeting a success.

Father of Rev. Walker Fatally Injured In Traffic Accident

Struck down by a car while walking home from church Sunday night, John Hugh Walker, age 86, of Blooms Grove Avenue, died in the Port Hope General Hospital about two hours after the accident, as a result of injuries and shock.

According to police, Mr. Walker was returning from St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, where he had been an elder for many years. As he crossed the Mill and Ontario Street intersection, a car driven by Wilfred Robzerts, 35, of 47 Margaret street, knocked the elderly man down.

The driver immediately brought his car to a stop, he told police, and rushed the injured man to the Hospital. Dr. R. McDermont attended. Struck at 8:25 p.m., Mr. Walker died in hospital at 11:20 o'clock.

Mr. Walker, who would have celebrated his 87th birthday in two weeks time, was born in Hope Township, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hugh Walker. He received his education in Hope Township and Port Hope moving there 65 years ago. A prominent citizen there, he was a member of the Town Council for a number of years and in the early days operated a shoe store in partnership with a brother. About 40 years ago, he took up the insurance business and continued this occupation until retirement.

He and his wife, the late Elizabeth Anne Jamieson, marked their Diamond Wedding Anniversary two years ago, September 18, 1946.

He is survived by two daughters, and a son: Mrs. James R. Carr, (Florence E.), of 47 Blooms Grove Avenue, Port Hope; Mrs. Roy E. Pipher (Olive Clair), Trenton, New Jersey; and Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Stirling, Ont. There are four grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Service was held Wednesday afternoon.

—Port Hope Guide

Hastings County Junior Farmer Public Speaking Contest To Be Held

An event which should be of interest to all public spirited people in Hastings County is the second annual Public Speaking and Amateur Entertainment Contest which is being held in the Township Hall, Ivanhoe, on Friday, November 5th, commencing at 8 p.m.

In the contest last year eight young men and women took part in the public speaking while two boys from the Melrose Club entered the amateur entertainment contest. Indications at present are that there will be an even larger number entering the contest this year.

The winner of this contest will enter the District Contest, which includes the counties of Peterborough, Northumberland, Prince Edward and Hastings, and the District winner will

go on to the Zone Competition, the winner in the Zone Competition will then represent this entire area at the Junior Day at the Federation of Agriculture Annual Meeting early in January 1949. It is rather interesting to note that Mr. Gerard Brennan from the Melrose Club was the Zone winner last year and it is hoped that some from Hastings may again go through to the Provincial Contest.

Our best wishes go out to all of the contestants at Ivanhoe on November 5th.

Given Pen and Pencil Set

Miss Dora Rodgers nurse-in-training, Belleville Hospital, spent Thanksgiving week end at her home and on Sunday Miss Mary Agnes Fox made the presentation of a Waterman's pen and pencil set on behalf of St. Andrew's Sunday School and teachers. Dora thanked one and all for their kindness.

Shop Classes High School

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and outlined its purpose. First it is an active obedience to God Almighty. There is only one people of Christ and only one church of Jesus Christ. In the council of Churches we can be frank about our differences and show the world there is something more profound than our differences and take council together.

Secondly, its purpose is to consider the strategy of our Church in the world in which we live today. The word is in great disorder. What is the part of the church in such a world? The council was an endeavour to get the churches to think about this. No matter what strategy is employed, no battle can be won without the men in the front line, ready to go and die for the cause. We as Christians are the men in the front line.

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